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Shushan Conviction, Four Others Upheld

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President To Open State Department Files To Former Foe

REPUBLICANS ANGRY AT X-G. O. P. CANDIDATE

Think He Should Testify Before Committee On Aid To Britain

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Witnesses next week at house hearings on the administration's British-aid bill will include Joseph P. Kennedy, ambassador to Great Britain, and Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, it was announced tonight.

Representative Fish of New York, ranking Republican on the foreign affairs committee, said Kennedy would testify Tuesday, and Lindbergh on Thursday.

Fish also said that Norman Thomas, Socialist leader, and Hanford MacNider, former American Legion commander, would be the witnesses for Wednesday. Hugh S. Johnson, the columnist, will appear Thursday in addition to Lindbergh.

Chairman Bloom, Democrat, New York, asserting that Fish was in charge of making arrangements for witnesses for the next few days, announced that William C. Bullitt, former ambassador to France, would testify either Friday or Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt threw the files on the state department's information on European developments wide open today for Wendell Willkie leaving soon for Europe.

At the same time, he and he would

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MONROE VISITED BY SNOW FLURRY

North Louisiana Forecast Calls For 23 To 28 Degrees

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Freezing weather as far south as New Orleans was forecast for tonight by the United States weather bureau as cold filtered into northern sections of Louisiana and Mississippi.

The weather bureau late today lowered its predicted minimum for New Orleans from 35 degrees to about 32, but warned that sub-freezing temperatures would visit most sections of the two states tonight.

The thermometer took a tail spin here, dropping from its high of 64 degrees on Friday to 42 at 9 a.m.

Shreveport and Monroe, La., and Greenwood, Greenville and other north Mississippi cities reported light snow with the temperature at the freezing point at noon.

A hard freeze was forecast for north Mississippi, 22 to 28 degrees for the south portion and about 30 degrees on the coast.

In Louisiana the forecast called for 23 to 28 degrees in the north and 26 to 32 degrees in the sugar and trucking regions with frost in the south portion.

No quite so cold in Louisiana Sunday but continued cold in Mississippi was predicted.

(By Associated Press)

Deep-winter cold ruled the upper Mississippi valley with sub-zero tem-

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Store Hours Here Changed

Effective Monday, Monroe stores will open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 5:30 p.m. on week days and at 8:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

More than 30 merchants meeting Thursday agreed unanimously to observe these hours. It was the annual meeting of the Retail Merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce.

Heretofore there have been no standardized hours that all merchants observed, but it was decided that every member of the Retail Merchants division would abide by the decision of the majority.

The cooperation of the public has been requested.

American Sailor Tears Swastika Flag Off Staff

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—An American sailor ripped a huge swastika flag from its staff at the ninth-story offices of the German consulate today while thousands of spectators stood in the street and cheered.

The action, which Consul General Fritz Wiedemann immediately reported to the German embassy in Washington, climaxed a morning of unrest around the building at 26 O'Farrell street, just off Market.

The flag was being flown in observance of the 70th anniversary of the founding of the German Reich.

The sailor was identified by Police Captain Joseph Walsh as Harold James Sturtevant, 22, recently a fireman on the destroyer Craven. He and a companion, E. G. Lackey, 23, of Charlotte, N. C., seaman, first class, formerly on the destroyer Perkins, were charged with malicious mischief and held for the United States navy. Four other young men who participated were released. Sturtevant and Lackey were on shore leave, awaiting mustering out of service. They were in civilian clothing.

The crowd began forming shortly after the Nazi emblem was unfurled. As the morning advanced the crowd grew larger until an estimated 2,000 persons were gazing at the four-by-eight-foot flag.

Police were kept busy explaining to protesting spectators that international law permitted the consulate to

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RYAN LABOR ROW IN NEW DEADLOCK

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Labor contract discussions between the Ryan Aeronautical Company and the United Automobile Workers (C. I. O.) were plunged into a new deadlock tonight by unfavorable company reception of a compromise union wage proposal.

The new deadlock developed after a day which brought guarded but optimistic statements from both union and company negotiators. The revised hopes for a peaceful settlement had been based on a new union proposal.

Tonight the company sent its reply and counter proposal to the union by Harry C. Malcom, federal conciliator. After reading the reply, Richard T. Frankensteen, chief C. I. O. negotiator, said:

"The company proposal is an insult. It is absolutely and completely unacceptable. The next move is with the company. Our strike deadline is Tuesday.

"Furthermore, I will wire the national defense commission tonight requesting a federal investigation to determine if there is some ulterior reason the company does not want to settle this controversy."

O. JOHN ROGGE CRITICIZED BY CIRCUIT COURT

Tribunal Says He Contributed To Publicity That 'Became Abuse'

JURIST STATES POLITICS CAUSED MOST OF UPROAR

Declares Newspapers Have Right To Give Facts About Proceedings

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—O. John Rogge, former assistant attorney general, was sharply criticized today by the United States Fifth circuit court of appeals in a decision affirming five convictions Rogge obtained in prosecuting the 1939 Shushan public scandals trial here.

While not calling Rogge by name, the court's opinion censured the federal prosecuting attorney for "contributing to what became an abuse" by "encouragement of newspaper publicity about the case" which the court said was "ill-judged and improper."

Rogge, who has since resigned, was in charge of the federal investigation in Louisiana during the turbulent statewide political campaign in which reform Governor Sam Jones' forces overthrew the Huey P. Long political machine. He personally prosecuted the mail fraud charges against the five.

In this case, second of the major scandal cases in federal court, A. L. Shushan, former president of the Orleans levee board and lieutenant of the late Long, was sentenced with

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WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Driver Of Car Involved In Mishap Held In Caldwell Parish Jail

COLUMBIA, Jan. 18.—(Special)—A 25-year-old woman was dead, her husband painfully injured and another man was being held without charge in Caldwell parish jail as the result of an automobile mishap near here today.

Mrs. M. H. Frith, of Spencer, was pinned under an automobile driven by her husband and died from internal injuries at 5 p.m., two hours after the accident.

Deputy Sheriff A. J. Coates, who investigated, said that the Frith car and one driven by Elmer Carpenter of Riverton, were both traveling in the direction of Columbia when Carpenter's car crashed into the rear of the Frith automobile, knocking it ahead several yards and causing it to overturn.

Deputy Sheriff Coates said that Carpenter, who was arrested, apparently was under the influence of intoxicating liquor, and would probably be charged with involuntary homicide.

No charge had been filed against him late tonight.

Mr. Frith, taken to the Caldwell hospital with his wife, suffered lacerations about the face, but his condition was not termed serious. Carpenter was only slightly hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frith were en route to Alexandria where Mr. Frith is employed at Camp Livingston. The

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BRITISH AIR FORCE STEPS UP OFFENSIVE

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Great Britain's air force, sharply stepping up its offensive operations during the past three months, made more than 1,400 organized raids on Germany between the start of the war and January 1, a ministry of information report said tonight.

Indicative of the increasing power of Britain's air arm in its role of staving off threatened invasion by striking at the sources of German power, the report pointed out that more than 500 of the raids were made since the end of last September, with special emphasis on objectives in the Ruhr district.

In "this heart of the German productive machine," as the report termed it, were more than 500 of the 1,552 objectives listed as targets of the R. A. F. during the period covered by the survey. The onslaught on the Ruhr, source of most of Germany's steel and coal as well as many guns, airplanes and other military equipment was stepped up by two-thirds during the past three months, the ministry said.

"It received the most intensive hammering of any part of the Reich," the report continued.

THOUSANDS JAM WASHINGTON FOR INAUGURAL FETE

Many Stand On Street Corners Watching Gaily For Celebrities

RUBBERNECK BUSES AND MOVIES ENJOY BUSINESS

Weatherman Says Monday Likely To Be Cold And Clear

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Thousands of folks—political leaders and lesser party workers, and people great and humble—crowded into Washington today bent upon taking a spectator's part, at least, in the third inauguration of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

They thronged the hotel lobbies, from fashionable places to dollar-a-night walkups, and overflowed into the tourist camps and houses bearing the familiar sign, "Tourists."

They stood about the street corners watching for celebrities and uttering little gasps of delight when they uncertainly thought they had one spotted. They peered into passing limousines and excitedly speculated as to who among the nation's notables their occupants might be.

They roamed about the town to be awed by a glimpse of the White House through the intricate trestlework of the parade reviewing stands at Lafayette Square. At the Capitol they indulged in outbursts of surprise at the fancy carpentry which went into the colonnaded stand upon which Mr. Roosevelt will renew his oath of office on Monday.

And, they gave the restaurants, the movie houses, the bars and rubberneck buses a thriving business. Long before nightfall it was obvious that the ever-growing crowds were intent upon a gay pre-inaugural week-end such as the capital has seldom seen.

The city, under gloomy gray skies was bright with flags and bunting. Busy workmen were adding great additional quantities as the hours passed.

Monday's weather was the subject of much discussion. The weatherman

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Flames Sweep London 'City' After Fire-Bomb Raid

This weird scene was presented in the "City," London's old financial district, as flames swept through the congested area in the wake of a German fire-bomb raid. Fire rapidly leaped from building to building throughout the district noted for its narrow, winding streets. (Associated Press Photo from Paramount News)

ORLEANS PICKED FOR SIX-WAY SHIP YARD

KENNEDY AGAINST U. S. WAR ENTRY

Thinks Nation Should Aid England But Not To Point Of Conflict

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Joseph P. Kennedy, retiring ambassador to Great Britain, urged tonight that the United States "give the utmost aid to England," but said he did not feel the nation's immediate danger justified passage of the "lease-lend" bill in its present form.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Joseph P. Kennedy, retiring ambassador to Great Britain, urged tonight that this country "give the utmost aid to England" but asserted that "this aid should not and must not go to the point where war becomes inevitable."

In a nationwide broadcast over the National Broadcasting company red network, Kennedy said he believed the British should "make available to us all the assets we can use."

"If after the resources of Great Britain were used up, it were still sound American policy to assist them," he said, "I would prefer that it be done through outright gifts, since I would not expect that loans could be repaid."

Kennedy said that we should not give the British "beyond the absolute minimum necessary for our own protection" and declared that where the line was to be drawn should be determined by President Roosevelt, to-

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Louisiana Seeks $8,171,410 Military Road Construction Program

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Selection of New Orleans as the location for a six-way shipyard, where building of cargo vessels will be started within four months, was announced today by maritime commission officials in Washington, and the local backers of the newly-formed Louisiana Shipyard, Inc., immediately began plans to rush construction.

Simultaneously Governor Sam H. Jones was conferring with civil aeronautics board officials in Washington with regard to pending applications for an international airline to Central America and the Canal Zone, and announcement was made here that the federal government will be urged to deepen the Mississippi river passes to increase the importance of the port of New Orleans.

At Baton Rouge, the state highway department said it had applied to the works projects administration and the war department for a concrete paving program to cost $8,171,410 which would make available military roads to Barksdale Field. The entire cost of the program would be borne by the federal government, according to Harry Henderlite, chief engineer of the highway department.

N. O. Pedrick, president of the new shipbuilding company, expressed his pleasure at the Washington announcement which followed lengthy conferences he held with maritime officials in Washington.

"Work on the actual yards probably will start within a month," he said. "Within four months after that date we expect to have all six ways ready to lay the first keels."

He said he anticipated that about 25 of the 200 ship emergency fleet

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PALACE STORE TO SPAN STREET

Passageway Across Harrison Will Connect Addition To Store

Giving Monroe a metropolitan feature, an addition will be constructed across the street from the rear of The Palace, local department store, and connected with the main building by an overhead passageway bridging Harrison street.

Contracts already have been let on the structure, and work will begin immediately, according to Sig Masur, president and general manager of The Palace. The addition and connection will be completed about June 1, he stated.

J. W. Smith and Associates, local architectural firm, planned the building, and C. E. Andrews of Ruston received the construction contract.

Completely fireproof, the two-story concrete, frame and brick structure will be located on the site of the old Lockwood Transfer building on Harrison street, behind Durrett Hardware company. It will contain 17,000 square feet of space. The building will be 54 feet across the front.

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2 MAY DISCUSS INCREASED NAZI HELP FOR DUCE

Italy's Hard-Pressed Legions In Libya And Albania Need Aid

GERMAN DIVE-BOMBERS STRIKE ANEW AT MALTA

British Say Little Damage Done And 10 Planes Shot Down

(By Associated Press)

Large squadrons of German dive-bombers again attacked the British Mediterranean island-fortress of Malta yesterday afternoon amid reports Premier Benito Mussolini intends to see Adolf Hitler today, possibly to discuss further Nazi aid for his hard-pressed legions fighting in Albania and Libya.

Informed sources in Berlin said the German fliers scored hits on airplane hangars, barracks and runways of two British airdromes following Thursday's heavy attack on the city and harbor of Valletta in which more hits on the British aircraft carrier Illustrious were claimed.

The British said there was very little military damage Thursday and that 10 of the German-Italian raiders were shot down.

An Associated Press correspondent on the island cabled that he found singularly little damage, and said there was not the "slightest sign anywhere" that the German attacks would succeed in doing what the Italians failed to do—make Malta give up.

The Greek marine ministry reported their submarine Proteus sank the 11,450-ton Italian supply ship Sardegna December 29, but that the Proteus thus far had not returned to base. The Sardegna was the third Italian ship recently reported sunk by the Greeks.

Big reinforcements are going to Albania from Italy, dispatches from the Yugoslav-Albania frontier said. Italian planes, relieved from Mediterranean service by the Germans, also are being sent to Albania, it was said.

The expected Mussolini-Hitler meeting was reported from diplomatic circles in Switzerland. There was no confirmation in Rome or Berlin.

The last time the two axis leaders met was October 28 in Florence, Italy—the day Italy invaded Greece—when the Italian defeats in Greece and Albania and at Sidi Barrani and Bardia still were unwritten history.

Now, it was disclosed Saturday, Mussolini is sending volunteer boys under 21 years old to Africa.

Whether the reported meeting today

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GARNER RECEIVES ATTRACTIVE OFFERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Vice-President Garner said "goodbye" to many of his colleagues of the senate today at a luncheon given at the capitol by Senator Clark, Democrat, Missouri.

Garner, who will retire to private life Monday when he administers the oath of office to his successor, Henry A. Wallace, was reported to have told his colleagues that he had received many offers to enter private business but had decided to reject all of them.

The most attractive offer—Garner was said to have described it as the only one which made him "think a while"—was a proposal that he write a daily newspaper column at a salary of $1,500 a week.

Interpreting The War News: Britain Withstands Raids

By Kirke L. Simpson
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer)

Prime Minister Winston Churchill, casting up the balance of heavy odds imposed on England by French collapse, said seven months ago that the outcome turned on one "great question—can we break Hitler's air weapon?"

Britain has tested that weapon since, has endured Nazi bombing for that period with unfaltering courage and is increasingly striking back by air. She has been bolstered by crushing Greek and British defeats of Italy in the east.

Churchill reinforced his predictions of last summer in an address at Glasgow Friday night. He asserted Hitler would find Britain better prepared to beat off invasion now than was the case last summer or fall. He attributed Britain's improved position in part to the success "far beyond our dreams" of the campaign in North Africa.

But, said the prime minister, "before us lie many months of having to endure bombardment of our cities and industrial areas without the power to make equal reply." Thereupon he summed up Britain's 1941 war needs from the United States as guns, planes and ships in quantities "far more than we shall be able to pay for" rather than "large armies from overseas."

Harry L. Hopkins, President Roosevelt's special representative, sat at Churchill's side as the prime minister gave this accounting.

For seven months British fighter pilots, against all odds, have kept England safe from invasion; dominated the daylight airways over England. There have been many miracles in this war, like the escape from Dunkerque where those British fighter pilots achieved the seemingly impossible.

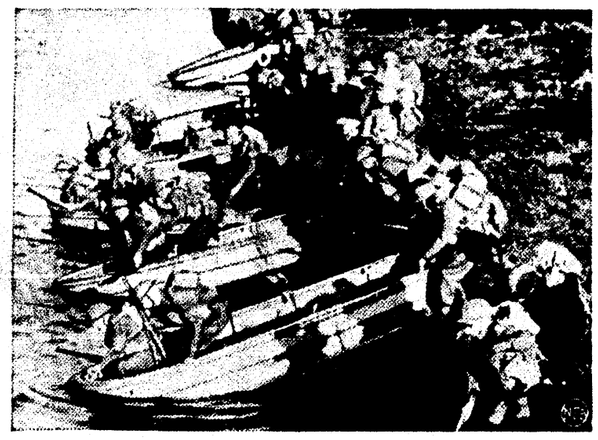
The eighth month opens with British bomber crews rivaling the exploits of their fighter comrades on many fronts. Day by day and night by night, they are carrying the war to the foe in Africa, in Albania, in France, in the low countries, in Norway and even in Germany.

That is the significant fact of the war today. It means not only that a grimly tested and better armed England awaits Germany's next move at home, but that Britain has found as well the means there and in her vast empire to wrest the initiative from her foes on remote fronts. She is hammering in the east to shatter the axis fellowship by knocking Italy out of the war.

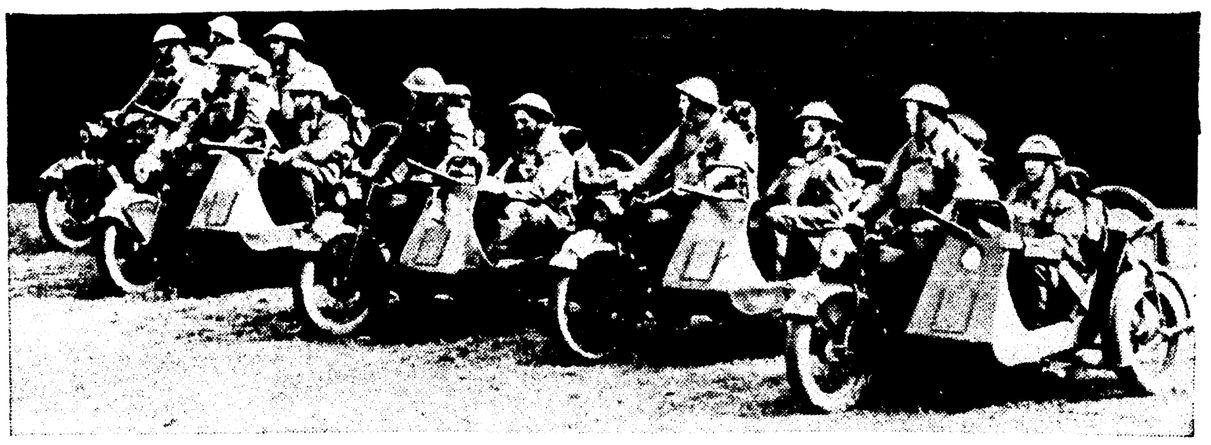
Churchill may hope for—instead of dread—an attempted German invasion of England, utterly confident that it could be repelled and might be turned into a disaster that would shake Nazi-ism in Germany as he believes Italian defeats have rocked the Fascist regime.

In this connection, there is interest to be found in Swiss "listening post" reports that a conference of Hitler and Mussolini, attended by their military, diplomatic and economic aides, is set for today.

Speaking Of Invasions, These Boys Put A Little Reverse English On The Idea



A British unit drilling for the grand continental invasion.



This is the type of heavily-armored motorcycle unit the British are reported sending against the Germans in France.

Those amazing British are not only standing off the Germans, they are actually shooting a few preliminary sparks of lightning war to the German forces strung out along the French coasts nearest Britain, according to reports now trickling into America. Heavily-armed suicide motorcycle units are making lightning thrusts into German-held territory, going across the English channel on trawlers during the night. They land, make a quick dash against the Germans. Sometimes they take prisoners and get back to England, sometimes they don't come back at all. In any case, the Germans are highly annoyed. The great British ambition is to invade the continent and they are drilling invasion units, like that pictured above, in methods to be used once the army is landed.

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E. C. GIBSON TO HEAD RED CROSS

Other Officers Elected At Annual Meeting; Reports Read

At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting, held by the Ouachita chapter of the Red Cross here Friday, officers for the ensuing year were elected.

E. C. Gibson, parish chairman for the past year, was named chairman for another year, which office he accepted, stating that he did so only after considerable urging by the nominating committee, who declared that his acceptance would comprise a patriotic duty.

Other officers elected were: Clifford Strauss, vice-chairman; Mrs. D. T. Milam, secretary; and W. C. Oliver, treasurer.

Members of the board of directors are as follows: Ward 1, C. C. Boardman; Ward 2, W. J. Vinson; Ward 3, E. C. Gibson, Mrs. Fagan Cox, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. Lizzie Morris, E. R. Dawson, James T. Swink, Charles Mitchell, H. M. James, Sylvian Masur, L. P. Landry, Rabbi F. K. Hirsch and Rev. R. T. Watson; Ward 4, Mrs. W. A. Brandt; Ward 5, W. R. Hatchell, Judge Jesse Heard; Tom Hicks, Webb Goodlett; Ward 6, Mrs. J. E. Bryant; Ward 7, W. O. Roberts; Ward 8, W. S. Berry; Ward 9, D. S. Owens; Ward 10, L. P. Milner, David Silverstein, Charles Titche, Judge W. M. Harper, W. C. Oliver, Clifford Strauss, Mrs. C. K. Crabdall, Mrs. E. Kaliski, Ivy Jordan, Bob Burns, Mrs. D. T. Milam, Mrs. L. R. Simpson, Miss Sybil Renaud, S. A. Moss, A. E. Montgomery.

The report of activities of the local chapter the past year was read by Chairman Gibson.

The report follows, in part:

"Red Cross is the one confidential agency used by the army and navy for the purpose of contacting families of enlisted personnel in situations requiring a check-up of family problems. Calls requiring investigation and report were received last year as far away as the Hawaiian Islands. Twenty-five such inquiries were handled last year, and far more can be expected this year. Another requirement of Red Cross is that of aid to veterans of wars in connection with pension or disability claims. A total of 64 veterans were assisted last year and 32 more cases aided that re-quired immediate relief.

"In civilian service, 190 families of the Twin Cities and parish were given direct aid. In addition to this activity, 727 cases were given other types of service including arranging with clinics or doctors for special treatment or examination. In all, 917 cases were handled in this department last year.

"First aid service by the chapter was also active and 119 persons were instructed and 85 others trained in rescue work and water safety.

"The chapter has two highway first aid stations and expects to extend this service.

"We enlisted last year 9,450 school children in the parish in this program.

"Fortunately the chapter was not involved in any disaster but the group raised $218.73 for the Natchez, Miss., fire disaster, and $25 was contributed to the Shreveport chapter in connection with a disaster there. The services of Miss Frances Page, health nurse, were loaned to aid in the flood service in South Louisiana.

"In home hygiene and nursing, 511 visits were made to sick and indigent by the chapter nurse. A total of 222 persons were instructed in home hygiene and care of the sick.

"In May, 1940, the chapter received its first call for emergency funds in connection with the war in Europe and $5,986.76 was raised in the parish and remitted to national Red Cross; 3,280 garments were produced by the chapter. Surgical dressings to the number of 14,403 have been dispatched for use abroad. The chapter is proud of the work of 468 women and children who have devoted time to this service."

The report ended with a summary of the roll call. Business gifts were more generous than in past years, and 2,604 members were enrolled.

The financial statement was rendered in another report.

Chairman Gibson concluded with: "The year 1941 is not just another year. With 16 million young men enrolled for military service, resources of this and every other Red Cross chapter will be strained. The banner of Red Cross goes with the Stars and Stripes."

Frank McGurk was introduced as new state field worker for Red Cross. He made a brief talk in which he lauded past performance of Red Cross and urged continued effort.

MONEY'S WORTH

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — (AP) — Sam Fox, negro iceman, has about decided the used car he bought in 1916 for three dollars is costing too much.

True, it has carried him to and from work every day for 24 years, as well as doing duty as a tractor. And it gets 35 miles to the gallon on a mixture of gasoline and coal oil.

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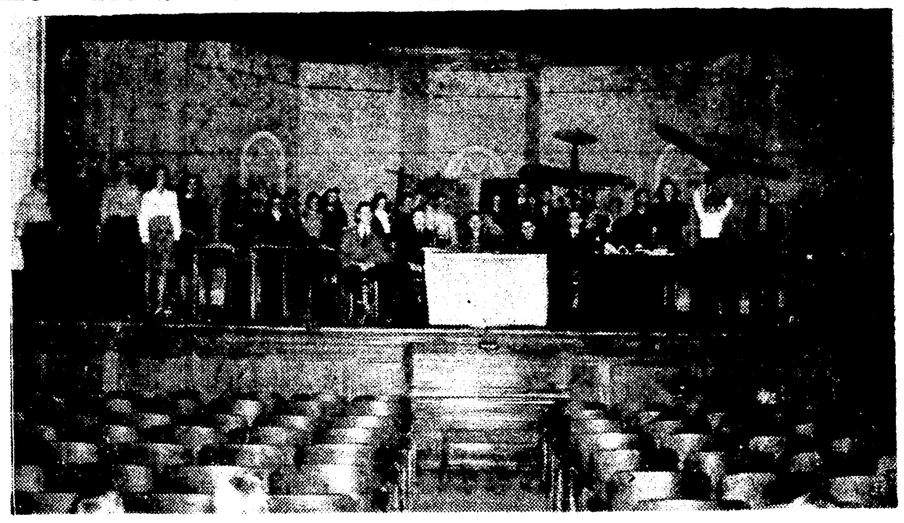

World Staff Photo

Hobbyists who displayed their exhibits, ranging from coin collecting to wood carving, are shown as they appeared at a recent meeting of the Ouachita Parish Parent-Teacher Association. Sponsored by the Science Club, the program also consisted of several short talks on the subject, "My Hobby."

CHURCHES

APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF GOD
2912 South Grand Street
Rev. W. Hemphill, Pastor

General services will be held Saturday and Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. On Sunday night the pastor will preach on: "The Four Biggest Fools in Monroe." Everybody come and find out who they are. Don't forget your people's meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. We urge all young people to come and take part. We wish to announce to the public that Rev. S. R. Henderson will be back with us in a couple of weeks. Let's have a good attendance at all services.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Cypress And Crosley Streets
West Monroe
E. L. Tanner, Pastor

Regular services today will be held at the usual hours beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. S. W. Hamilton, superintendent. The pastor will occupy the pulpit and bring the message at both worship periods 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Christ Ambassador class meets at 6:30 p.m. Services during the week are held Tuesday and Thursday nights. We extend a cordial invitation to every one to meet with us in all services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John And Grammont Streets
L. T. Hastings, Pastor
D. C. Black, Pastor's Associate

Great things in store for us this day!

William Hall Preston, widely known worker among students, will address a mass meeting of youth tonight at 7:30. He is a "second Chester," and that is saying a lot. A special invitation has been extended all college and high school students to be present. A section will be reserved for them in our new auditorium. Special music will be furnished by Northeast Junior college; Ouachita Parish and Neville High, as follows: Solo by Miss Ruth Goss of the Voice Department of Northeast Junior college; instrumental number by representative of the music department of Neville High, C. S. Gaushell, director; two chorus numbers by chorus group from Ouachita Parish, Mrs. George A. Moffett director; "Sanctus" (Gounod) and "Voice of Praise" (Mozart). Mr. Preston will bring a message that will thrill all, young and old. All are invited.

Mr. Preston will also meet with the Young People's department of our Sunday school this morning, and the Baptist Training Union tonight at 6:30.

Our Christ Centered Crusade will be launched this morning by the pastor's message at the 11 o'clock hour when he will speak on "What Jesus Teaches About God."

We should have 1,000 in Sunday school and capacity crowds both hours. Our first baptismal service in the new auditorium will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Dr. A. E. Prince, Pastor
Dallas Gore, Music Director
Miss Beulah Doerr, Educational Director

A special of the program of our service today will be the address of William Hall Preston, associate secretary of the Baptist Student Union of the South, Nashville, Tenn. The message of Mr. Preston will be of special interest to students and young people and to the older people as well. A cordial invitation is extended to you to come and hear this great speaker. He will speak at the morning worship period—10:50 o'clock.

The worship program in this church today is as follows: Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Morning worship and address by William Hall Preston, 10:50 a.m. B. T. U. leaders' meeting, 6 p.m. Brotherhood and general B. T. U. meeting 6:30 p.m. Evening worship with sermon by Dr. Prince, 7:30 p.m. You are cordially invited to all the services of this church.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
812 Mississippi Street
Rev. I. J. Brooks, Pastor
Max Braswell, Choir Director

Attend Sunday school at 9:45 this morning. The school needs your attendance and you need its instruction.

This morning our pastor will deliver "The Challenge of Christ to Win the Lost" with text from Matthew 4:19 and Daniel 12:3. The evening message will be a continuation of this one with the added text "He Brought Him to Jesus" with scripture John 1:42. One should make a special effort to attend both services in order to receive the full significance of the messages and their relationship.

The Brotherhood, meeting now at 6:30 Sunday evening, announces a steady increase in attendance, spirit and enthusiasm. If you are not having a part in it, you are missing something. Watch for announcement of an important social and business meeting scheduled for this week, "better be there."

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
3400 Lee Avenue
D. D. Cantrell, Pastor
C. Dale Cobb, Director of Music

The Sunday school will be as usual 9:45 to 10:40 a.m. All adults and young people will meet in the auditorium of the Lida Benton school. The children up to the age of 16 will meet at the church for their classes. We are expecting a record attendance today and trust that all will make special effort to be 100 per cent in efficiency. We extend a cordial welcome to all the friends of this district to work with us in this great cause.

The training union will have an interesting report this evening as to the trip to Ridge Crest Baptist Assembly. All our church membership will be expected to be on time for this good hour.

Thanks to our good friend, Mr. Brinsmade, for the good article in regard to our new church building project, which has brought so many calls from friends congratulating such a worthy move. We are happy to know that so many friends are interested in this great undertaking.

The pastor's sermon subjects for the day are: "The Call For Volunteers" a.m. and "The Tragedy of Obscured Vision," Haggai 2:1-9 All our people are requested to read the entire book of Haggai. We are seeking to find the real message of the book as applied to our day, and especially our locality. We urge all our people to lend their entire support to all the services of the day. Bring your friends and let us make this a telling day in service for our Christ, saying with the poet:

"Hark, the voice of Jesus calling,
"Who will go and work today?
Fields are white, and harvest waiting,
Who will bear the sheaves away?"
Loud and long the Master calleth,
Rich reward He offers free;
Who will answer, gladly saying,
"Here am I, send me, send me?"

The W. M. S. will meet at the church Monday at 2:00 p.m. for a program. Last meeting had the largest attendance ever, also several new members were added.

LOCH ARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH
Swartz, La.
T. S. Southard, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Morning worship at 10:45 a.m. Popular Adult Bible class at 6:30 p.m. B. T. U. at 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m. W. M. U. Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Praise and prayer service Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Choir class Friday at 6:30 p.m.

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
A. T. Mitchell, Pastor

The Ridge Avenue Baptist church had four additions last Sunday, three for baptism and one by letter. The church is having a revival every Sunday in 1941. Bennie H. Andrews had 84 in the Baptist Training Union which set a new record of attendance for that organization. Young people were everywhere you would look and their department just would not have held any more. The auditorium was filled for the preaching service Sunday night at 7:30. This revival meeting in every service, personal workers meeting and the friendly church spirit is working.

We are trying to grow a church that the Lord will be pleased with, a friendly church, a working church, a giving church, a praying church, a helpful church and a soul-winning church with love for all people. If you are not attending the services of some other church we extend you a cordial invitation to come and worship with a growing, friendly, soul-winning church.

Our program for Sunday and next week will be as follows:

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Lee L. Overton, superintendent.

Preaching services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Baptist Training Union 6:30 p.m. Bennie H. Andrews, director.

W. M. S. Monday 2:30 p.m. Mrs. G. D. Jones, president.

Personal workers' meeting Monday 7:30 p.m. W. C. Salley, leader.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Music program Friday 7:30 p.m. Clyde Fulton, director.

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
D. H. Rockett, Pastor
R. L. Mercer, Choir Director

Peniel Baptist Church had a good day last Sunday. There was a good spirit in all our services. We are grateful unto the Lord for this. Without the spirit of reverence we would labor in vain. The outlook for victory in our church this year is as bright as the promises of God.

We hope that all our people can come to church today prepared to worship. All people who are not attending some other church are invited to worship with us.

Services for today and this week are as follows: Sunday school at 10:00 a.m. Preaching services at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. B. T. U. at 6:30 p.m. W. M. U. Monday at 2:00 p.m. Brotherhood Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Prayer services Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Choir practice Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
J. T. Hinke, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00. Morning worship at 11:00. B. T. U. and brotherhood at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. We give a special invitation to the people for the evening service which will consist of eight men being ordained to the deaconship for our Lord. These are all young men whose hearts are burning for the spirit of the Lord, ready to put forth every effort to see God's kingdom advance. If you know these men you should be in service tonight to bid them God speed in His work. The men are: W. H. May, H. E. Womack, George Womack, Sam Bourland, Robert Watson, F. M. Perkins, Marvin Stone and J. M. Rodgers.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Oak And St. John Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister

Church school, 9:45 a.m.

We use graded material approved by the curriculum committee of the International Council of Religious Education. We have a class for all ages.

Worship service, 10:50 a.m. The sermon will be the fifth in the series of messages on great events in Jesus' ministry. Today's theme: "Jesus Only."

Our vested choir will sing an anthem.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m.

Thomas Easterling will be the leader.

Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Vocal duet. Sermon, "Why Belong to Our Church?"

Choir practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
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"Life" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, January 19, 1941.

The Golden Text is: "I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely. He that overcometh shall inherit all things, and I will be his God, and he shall be my son." (Rev. 21:6,7).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "For in him we live, and move, and have our being" (Acts 17).

The lesson sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Because Life is God, Life must be eternal, self-existent. Life is the everlasting I Am, the Being who was and is and shall be, whom nothing can erase." (p. 249).

Sunday service 11 a.m.

Sunday school 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday 8 p.m.

Reading room, 626 Bernhardt building, open every day from 11:30 to 5:30 except Sundays and national holidays.

GRACE CHURCH
Fourth And Glenmar Streets
Edward Farren Hayward, Rector

Services for the second Sunday after Epiphany are as follows: The Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a.m., church school at 9:30 a.m., choral Eucharist and sermon at 10:45 a.m. Evensong will be said and sermon preached at 4 p.m. in St. David's, Rayville. The only service in Grace Church during the week will be on St. Paul's day, January 25, at 7:30 a.m. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated.

The church is open daily from 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Come in, rest, pray, give thanks.

Mention was made and much appreciated of the gifts to the church during the year 1940, as follows: The interior of the church was painted, new carpets and rugs for aisles and chancel, a beautiful art glass memorial window depicting our Lord reigning in glory, and 24 new pews and all other pews in the church renovated.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison And Darbonne Streets
Sherrouse Addition
Vernon C. Grosse, Pastor

Sunday school and Bible class meet at 10 a.m.

Church service at 10:45 a.m.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West Monroe
C. Karlos Smith, Pastor

Services for today in the First Methodist church, West Monroe, will be conducted by the pastor, Dr. C. Karlos Smith. Dr. Smith has for several days been confined to the bed with influenza. Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a.m. with R. M. McClendon, the efficient superintendent, in charge. Preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., conducted by the pastor. You are invited to attend all services in our church and to take part in every phase of our church work and worship.

Let our people keep in mind the "Christ-centered crusade" to begin at an early date. This is another of the copyrighted programs sold to churches of all denominations by A. B. McReynolds of Oklahoma. The crusade of last year proved to be a great success and we believe that this crusade will be even more successful.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood Street
A. M. Freeman, Pastor

In observance of Race Relations Sunday, the pastor will have for his morning worship theme "Race Relations," dealing with Christianity and racial adjustment.

The church school classes will meet at the regular hour. The young people's services will begin at 6:30 p.m. A special invitation is extended to the public to attend the evening service, at which time the Martin Temple radio choir will render a 30-minute program of music. The pastor's topic for the evening will be "Missions."

A mission class will be held Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week from 7:30 to 9. Besides a discussion by the pastor on the mission book, "Methodism's World Mission," there will be moving pictures, a display of articles made in foreign countries and a play by the young people of the church. Each evening there will be a recreational period under the direction of Miss Lucile Godwin. The public is invited to attend these meetings.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a program meeting at the church.

The Wesleyan Service Guild meetings will be held in the homes Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

Gordon Avenue Methodist Church was well attended last Sunday with a responsive audience. Several came forward for prayer in response to the message, "This Man's Religion is Vain." The colorated chalk number was, "The Lower Lights." Rev. W. A. Cross, pastor-evangelist, will bring a message this Sunday morning and evening on the subjects: "The Question to Life," and "God's Great Mercy." The chalk number will be, "The Sinking Ship" with the song theme in special quartet, "Throw Out the Life Line." City quartet is expected to sing.

Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; preaching at 11; and the evening service 7:30 p.m. Senior and Junior leagues meet 6:30 p.m. Fellowship meeting at 6:45. Circle one and two of the woman's work, meets for special program at the church Tuesday afternoon 2:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 p.m. Official board meeting Tuesday evening 7:30 p.m.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, Pastor

The sculptor in London who built tombs for other people, at last built one for himself and put the following inscription upon it; "What I was as an artist seemed of some importance while I lived; but what I really was as a believer in Jesus Christ is the only thing of importance to me now." It was placed in Tottenham Court Road Chapel, whereby "He being dead yet speaketh."

It behooves us to make all possible of this life but at the same time remembering, that there is an existence beyond the tomb. It is not all of life to live nor all of death to die.

We are endeavoring to fulfill our mission in serving humanity. We are endeavoring to be a beacon light along the way.

If you are not attending services regularly elsewhere, visit us. Public worship begins each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p.m. Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m. Circles meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Thomas Avenue At Richmond Street
G. M. And Ina Lee Akin, Pastors

We cordially invite you to worship with us this Lord's day. We offer to you as a means of helpful inspiration. The Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a.m., S. P. Quigley, superintendent. N. Y. P. S. meetings at 6:30 p.m. Leaders: O. L. Hoskins, Mrs. Alameda Brown, Mrs. Catherine Lawson, Mrs. J. E. Wright. Preaching at 11 a.m. Subject: "Lengthening and Strengthening the Stakes." Evening sermon at 7:30 p.m., "The Valley of Decision." Mrs. F. L. (Ruby) Hoskins and Mrs. J. J. Douglas will sing at each service. The W. F. M. S. Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Ana Lee Akin will be in charge.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont At Catalpa
Ernest D. Holloway, Pastor

A man of standing, who has been most successful in business, has revealed his rise in the world of affairs. He traces it to the conversion of his mother and the establishment of a home in which God was honored, and the church loyally attended. Reared in such an atmosphere, he went into business with the Lord, and from the hour of the establishment of that relationship he prospered materially, mentally and spiritually. God blessed him.

"Spiritual Preparedness" is the subject of our morning message. "Eve Our Great Grandmother" is the personality we are to consider at our evening worship.

Our Sabbath school attendance is reasonably satisfactory. With your presence and interest it would be better. Nothing is more interesting and helpful than the study of God's word.

A most cordial welcome awaits you.

ASSISTANT AGENTS WILL ATTEND MEE

Miss Elizabeth Whatley, assistant home demonstration agent and H. Fairchild, assistant agricultural agent, plan to attend a conference of assistant agents to be held at Camp Gra Walker, near Fishville, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The three-day encampment is sponsored by the state extension department, and instructions will be given agents from all over the state.

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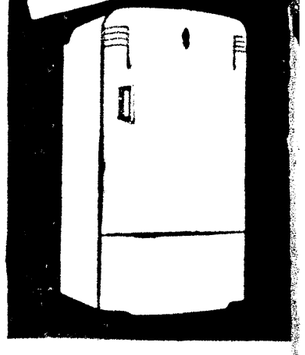

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ART SHOW TO BE EXHIBITED TODAY

Paintings, Drawings, Prints By William F. Lockwood To Be Seen

The first one-man show to be sponsored this year by the art department of the Northeast Junior college will open this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the faculty lounge of the Library building, when paintings, drawings, and prints of Contemporary Artist William F. Lockwood will be on display, Roy Henderson, art instructor, announced.

Thirty works of Mr. Lockwood, a visiting professor at the Louisiana State university from Columbia university, will be hung in the exhibition here, which will be open for three weeks, Mr. Henderson said.

Welcoming guests at the opening of the show this afternoon will be Mr. Henderson, instructor; Mary Bergevin, Mrs. R. M. Bacon, Mrs. H. M. James, Mrs. G. M. Heidenreich, advanced painting students.

Mr. Lockwood, well known American artist, was brought to L. S. U. by fine arts department head Duncan Ferguson, who wanted an instructor capable as a teacher as well as a painter. A native of Missouri, Mr. Lockwood has studied at the University of Florida, and privately in New York and Chicago.

His works have been exhibited in New York and Chicago galleries, in several Florida shows, and in New Orleans and Baton Rouge. Mr. Lockwood has gained recognition such as first awards in several competitions, commissions for murals in Florida and New York City, and several fellowship awards.

During the 1940 Louisiana Teachers' convention in Monroe several months ago, Mr. Lockwood was one of the outstanding speakers at the artists' meetings. During his visit here he inspected the art department at the Northeast Junior college, and was very favorably impressed by the work being done there.

A prolific painter, Mr. Lockwood believes that anyone with "average intelligence and the use of one hand" has the inherent capacity to create in one field or another.

He is interested in developing art and the appreciation of art, and shows his interest in a practical way—by pricing his paintings within the reach of the average income.

Continually experimenting with art theories, Mr. Lockwood explains his methods as an attempt "to get the fuzzy forms of Renoir with the transcendant opalescence of Poussin, using heavier and thicker oils than Passin . . . This show can well be called 'experiments.'"

His lithographs, one water color, and one oil show, as he says "a swinging over to the surrealists . . . because I thoroughly believe they number some of our better draughtsmen, our clearer thinking, and our most creative artists; surrealism, down through the ages, has often been our highest type of art."

A mural which he painted in the library at Gainsville, Florida, said the artist, is his favorite and best painting. Commissioned to paint a mural at the Medical center in New York City, Mr. Lockwood could not complete it because he accepted the position at L. S. U. When the summer session closes in August, however, he will leave for New York to finish the mural.

The 30 works to be shown here include three drawings, four prints, 11 water colors, seven oils five sketches. Titles follow: drawings—Nude (pen and ink) Seated Nude (pen and ink) Nude (charcoal); prints—Femme Flamboyant (etching), Family Group (soft ground etching), Revelation 13-3 (lithograph), Studie Educatif (lithograph); water colors Early Morning Static Education, Blue Savannah, After the Rain, The Kite, The Crossroads, Nude No. 1, Nude No. 2, Nude No. 3, Florida Jook, Chicago, 1934; oils—Head in Blue, Georgia Cracker, Self Portrait 1937, Muses 195, Entre-Acte, Aunt Jemima, Indian Reverie, sketches—Negro Jive, Infinity, Afternoon, Landscape in Black and Yellow, Betty H.

The public is invited to the opening show this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock, and to visit the exhibit any week day during the three weeks it will be on display. The gallery will be open from 9 to 4 every day except Saturday and Sunday, Mr. Henderson explained. Today is the only Sunday on which the show will be open, so that those who cannot come during the week can see the exhibit this afternoon.

THIEF GETS BEST WISHES

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Along with Secretary of State-elect John E. Sweeney's automobile, thieves took several hundred congratulatory messages. "I was going to answer every one of them personally as soon as I got time," Sweeney reported. "I hope no one will feel hurt."

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"Giono asked if I'd have a Strega on the house." (Eduardo Ciannelli as Giono, the speak-easy proprietor, Ginger Rogers as Kitty Foyle.)

CHAPTER XIX

Of course a girl can't kid herself very long if things go wrong. Female plumbing is just one big burglar alarm. But I cossed myself thinking maybe I was shot by too much nerve strain at the office, or I'd got a chill, all those things. Then one night I was working late with Delphine, feeling terrible. She said let's take a breathing spell. It turned out to be a fainting spell. I didn't know it till I came to smelling cologne and she looked at me sort of queer. She probably guessed right then, even before I did. I wouldn't put it past her. She was a grand sport, rode me home in a taxi, told me to take a day off and go see a doctor.

I was nervous going to the doctor. He wasn't very helpful, gave me some pills and stuff.

That doctor called me "Mrs. Foyle" when I went out. That made me sore, but I knew it meant he was perfectly damn sure. So was I.

It's funny, that feeling "but things like this don't happen to me." Oh I know about fright and misery and despair and what makes poor kids open the window two wide. I walked round that Verdi statue near my room and wondered if the Ansonia was high enough to jump off of. It don't make sense, it's just because you feel so sick and lonely. I envied old bums sitting on benches, they had nothing to worry about but a cup of coffee.

I went and had myself a small brandy at a spiek I knew over on Amsterdam avenue, and all of a sudden I saw the right side of it. I was proud. This would solve everything. I wanted to write Wyn. How pleased he would be, to go away somewhere and take care of that baby, it would really be Wyn Stratford the Seventh, and I couldn't ever be lonely again. I was creating something. I was part of the world. I could go down South, Wyn could afford it and he'd be proud too and come and see me sometimes.

I wouldn't need to wait long to tell him about it, he was coming over on Friday. I was fixing to wear that Irish lace collar he got me because he said he was proud of his White Collar Girl. I'd get the enamel off my nails too because I could see he didn't like it, what he called spermatozoa. Mark always wants me to put it back. He says I'm practically naked without it.

I'm sitting at Giono's, waiting for Wyn to show up. As a matter of fact I'm just had my birthday but Wyn didn't know that. He never did know my birthday. I'm pleased about that because poor baby it might give him a day that would hurt. I never would give him the date and he came back by saying every time I saw him was my birthday.

He was late. I was figuring out just how to say it the best way for us. Giono asked if I'd have a Strega on the house while I was waiting, but I didn't feel like drinking, anyhow not that. I had some ginger ale. I knew that would surprise Wyn, and I would say "I don't want it to grow up a dipso." He would say "what grow up a dipso?" Then I'd tell him.

Giono laid an evening paper on the table. It was just behind the water bottle, and after I got through thinking I noticed it. There was a few lines of type magnified by the water bottle and I noticed how the lettering was thrown up big and a bit wobbly by the light through the glass and the water. Then I saw what they said—

> of "Welshwold," near King of Prussia, announce the engagement of Miss Veronica Gladwyn to Mr. Wynnewood Stratford VI.

Just for a second I was sorry all I had was ginger ale. Ronnie Gladwyn and the big mills at Conshohocken. My poor darling, how did they put that across him. Served him up along with baked clams at Bailey's Beach, I shouldn't wonder. No wonder he hadn't written much. He was on his way over to tell me about it. Well, she's probably a lovely girl; God knows the Ledger had said so often enough. "Miss Veronica Gladwyn with her doll-like beauty almost lost in masses of white tulle and a single white camellia, grown in the hothouses at Welshwold." Or was it a gold girdle and several gardenias the Ledger had her wearing at the Assembly? I better order a snort so I can drink her luck when Wyn gets here—

But he must never know. If he knows it'll churn him all up. He'd be crazy enough to break off the engagement. He'd be worried all his life. Poor boy, he'd feel guilty.

I can't sit and listen to him tell it to me. I can't, the main line would come out on him and he'd be so damn gentlemanly and conscientious. I don't want him that way. Quick, Kitty, think quick, I've got to get out. Talk slow now, something you just thought of.

"Jonny, I'm sorry, I've got to go. I've got an appointment I can't duck. Don't tell Mr. Stratford I was here, tell him I phoned. Tell him I had to go out of town, on business, I can't see him today. Give him a big drink Jonny, so he won't worry. Gave him a big one. Keep him at the bar where he'll talk to people. Tell him I'm all right, I'm fine, I've just got some important business."

I could feel my teeth trying to chatter, but I threw all my Irish into it and said it slow. Of course Giono knew something was wrong, but he thought it was just a lover's quarrel, which Italians practically invented. Anyhow I had to trust him. I put down a dollar for the ginger ale and didn't wait for change. It was a black night. I went out of there like the witch on the broomstick.

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I knew I better act before I could stop to think. I wouldn't go back to my room because Wyn might follow me there. I took a cab right to Delphine's apartment.

All she said at first was, "I guess it was my fault, Kwits, to let you wear the Olympia. It is too subtle for the young."

After dinner I guess she figured I was scared to go back to the rooming house for fear I'd run into Wyn. So she told me to phone the landlady I had to go out of town for business and sent her maid round there to pack my bag. She gave me such a booker of brandy I went right to sleep in her guestroom, as I faded I could hear her talking French over the phone.

The maid brought me coffee in bed next morning. I was just thinking I better make a run for the office when Delphine came in, dressed for work. She handed me a card on which she had written a name and address. "Tout s'arrange," she said, her French way of saying O. K. "You go down and see these docteur. I have telephoned an appointment for you. I get his name from friends who say he has the high-class trade.

I wouldn't have guessed I'd be able to get a smile out of that affair, which was pretty grim. It was like being boiled in oil. While I was sick at Delphine's, and feeling damn low, I tried to think things over a bit. What hurt was having to write a lot of nonsense to Wyn. Of course there was a long letter from him when I got back to my room, all about Ronnie and the engagement being announced sooner than he expected and sweet things he said which weren't any sweeter than the truth.

He had his own hell to go through, most likely, the way Rosey Rittenhouse said. I didn't see why I should be bitchy to him just because he'd taught me how lovely things can be. We taught each other.

It was queer to be there in Delphine's lovely little guest room and she'd come back from the office and tell me what happened. Every time I heard her or the maid coming in I had to hurry and pick up that slippery silk quilt I couldn't keep on top of the bed. I guess French people don't thrash round so much once they get to sleep. She'd make me wear the prettiest little bed jacket of her own and said I made a romantic looking invalid, like somebody that had been through the French revolution. You wouldn't know how maternal Delphine could be when she wasn't dictating but she'd arrange me like I was something in a display window and I never can feel that bed is a place to be putting on an act.

Maybe it's good for anyone to find herself once and a while where she doesn't believe what's happening. I didn't figure out how nutty the situation was until I tried to edit it for Molly later on. Here's K. Foyle exactly not doing everything a woman ought to be good at. She's not having a baby, and she'd not cooking meals, and she's not even earning a living at a business that's only a fairy-tale anyhow, figured on making dames look like they don't really. She's not climbing stairs, there's an elevator to do that for her, and she's not locking the front door nights, there's a big stevedore in uniform. She's lying in a cellophane boudoir with a maid handing her trays of delicatessen.

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Molly says it's been specially tough on women since lately, because they're getting to be citizens, and citizens have no sex. Sometimes I think Molly's getting a little hard, I mean a little sort of angry in the back of her mind. I wish there was some man, good and sweet enough for her, she'd go off the deep end about. There I am, getting back to sex again and the hell with it.

Molly says women overstate things when they get worked up, because they have to spend ninety per cent of their lives in understating. A good citizen don't dare let on how things hurt, or what joy feels like. Yes, joy; it's funny how you get ashamed even to yourself to use plain words like joy and beauty. I put on the high-class dame act once and a while, partly copied from Delphine I suppose. But when you're putting on an act how you love to be caught up on it. By the right person, that is. How about Mark; is he the one I want to be caught up by?

I'd be a better American if I married Mark than if I'd married Wyn. The more we get mixed up, I mean race-mixed-up, the better. We got no time here for that kind of prejudice. I could have made something out of Wyn, something pretty damn fine and American too, if I'd had the management of him. I'd never need to do that for Mark. He'll make something out of himself and no mistake. I guess you need to be sorry for a man sometimes. It would be hard to be sorry for Mark. He's so damned confident.

He's got the same kind of sureness, professionally, that the main line has socially. He's got respect for intelligence like the main line has for flannel pants without any crease in them. He wouldn't let a woman get the better of him any more than Rosey Rittenhouse would let a polo pony.

It's Molly gets me this way. She says I've got a few real ideas, like scatter rugs on a big bare floor. Is it all right to think about things, even if you don't know the answers?

Molly darling, if you had what I've had you wouldn't be so certain, maybe. Like Wyn used to say, there's an enigma in the woodpile.

What it figures down to, I want to be a good American. I'll never forget how I heard that colored girl, Marian Anderson, sing "My Country Tis of Thee" on the radio. I cried and I hope lots of other women did too. I cried partly because I was proud of her being a woman, and partly because it was main line kind of people that had been stupid about her, and partly because I heard she came from Philly. I guess it's the biggest thing the old town's done since 1776.

Pull yourself together, lady. One way of being a good American this minute is take a hot bath and some shuteye.

While I'm in the tub I'll polish the silver snake-ring.

(To Be Continued)

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ARREST MADE AFTER AUTOMOBILE TAKEN

E. E. Rogers, of Farmerville, reported his automobile stolen in West Monroe yesterday afternoon, and a few minutes later H. E. Armstrong, also of Farmerville, was in the custody of Monroe police after he had wrecked Rogers' machine near the Cloverleaf dairy on the Loop road.

Armstrong escaped injury in the wreck and was being held for state police in the city jail here last night on a charge of operating an automobile while under the influence of an intoxicant. No theft charges had been made against him, pending action of the owner of the car.

Rogers told West Monroe police his machine had been stolen in the 100 block of Commerce street in West Monroe late yesterday afternoon, and Monroe police were notified at 5:37 p.m. At 5:39 p.m. word of the theft had been flashed by Police Sergeant C. S. Sisson over the police radio, and a minute later Traffic Sergeant J. M. Busby reported to headquarters that he had taken Armstrong into custody on the Loop road. Sergeant Busby had been on his way to investigate the reported accident when the theft was first reported in West Monroe.

Police said Armstrong had turned the machine over "two or three times."

FROM GROUND UP

CLEVELAND—(AP)—A business man, feeling sorry for a peanut vendor, bought him a pair of rubbers to protect his feet from the slush. An hour later he passed the same vendor. "Not good enough," he declared, going after a pair of high galoshes.

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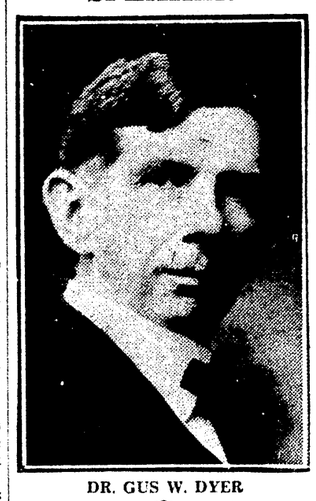

DR. GUS W. DYER

E. C. FUDICKAR RITES ARE HELD

Services Conducted For Well-Known Former Business Man

The funeral of Ernest C. Fudickar, 58, prominent retired Monroe business man, who died suddenly Friday afternoon at his residence, 405 Park avenue, was held at the house, Saturday at 3:30 p.m. with Rev. E. F. Hayward, rector of Grace Episcopal church, officiating. Interment, in Hasley cemetery, was in charge of Peters Funeral service.

Pallbearers were Paul Fudickar, Jr., Bill Fudickar, Fred Fudickar, Jr., W. C. Boyce, Murray Hudson and Aubrey Haas.

Mr. Fudickar was engaged in an extensive ice manufacturing business until ill health, a few years ago, caused him to relinquish active duties. He was born January 24, 1883, and was educated in the public schools of Monroe, later attending the University of the South and Mississippi A. and M. college.

He served three years in the army during the Philippine insurrection. He was member of the Knights of Pythias and of Grace Episcopal church.

Surviving are his wife, formerly Miss Sanna Hardy, a brother, Fred Fudickar, four nephews and one niece.

There are more than 350,000 American boys enrolled in agricultural high schools supported by the Smith-Hughes act.

DYER TO ADDRESS CHAMBER GROUP

Vanderbilt Professor To Be Principal Speaker January 30

Dr. Gus W. Dyer, professor of political economy of Vanderbilt University, will be the principal speaker at the annual membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, January 30, at Hotel Frances, George D. Holland, chamber secretary, announced yesterday. Some 400 persons, including wives and escorts, are expected to attend.

Dr. Dyer's address before the 1938 chamber meeting was so well received that the committee in charge voted unanimously to invite him to speak again this year, Mr. Holland said.

A noted humorist and recognized philosopher, Dr. Dyer is one of the most effective speakers in the nation on international economic problems. He has addressed meetings of business men throughout the United States for a number of years.

A unique feature of the membership meeting will be the presentation of a review of the chamber's activities during 1940 in picture form by a stereoptican projector with a recorded discussion of events, Secretary Holland stated. Pictures of 216 business men of Monroe and West Monroe will be shown on the screen during the discussion, he said.

C. C. Boardman, retiring president, will open the meeting and turn the gavel over to J. W. Warren, president-elect for 1941. Retiring board members, retained members and newly-elected board members will be presented during the session.

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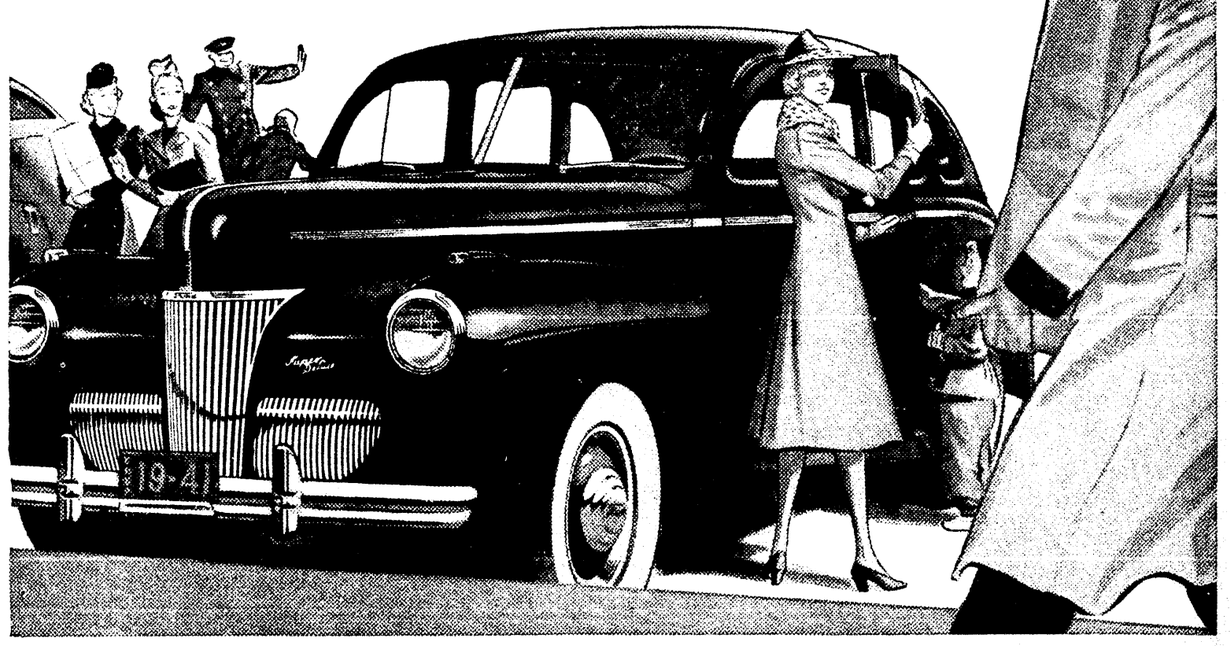

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U. S. War That Was Not A War

Many people are disturbed today by the fact that the present position of the United States in relation to the war in Europe is neither traditional neutrality nor war. It is described as "non-belligerency," "armed neutrality," "not-war" and other phrases, and we think of it as something utterly strange and without precedent.

That is because we incline to think of today's situation in terms of the World war. If we would go back again a little farther in American history, we could recall that there was a period (1798-1800) when the United States did not know whether or not it was at war. War was never formally declared, but it had a lot of similarity to war when the new American frigate, Constellation, was savagely fighting and capturing the French ship-of-war L'Insurgente off the island of Nevis in the West Indies.

Historians usually refer to this as "The Quasi-War With France." The Latin term means "just about, but not quite" a war.

It is interesting to reflect that President Roosevelt is especially well informed on this period of American history, and was instrumental a few years ago in having published an absorbing collection of papers relating to it. Here is how the United States once fought in what was almost like, but never formally, a war:

Relations with France had been unsatisfactory, and President Adams called home American diplomats who had been pushed around and very badly treated in France. "I will never send another minister to France," he said, "without assurances that he will be received, respected, and honored as the representative of a free, powerful and independent nation."

French naval ships seized American vessels carrying supplies to England, which was at war with France. American indignation mounted, and a frantic preparedness campaign was launched. Three frigates and 30 smaller vessels were built, and ordered to protect American commerce, even if that implied fighting with French ships. An army was hastily improvised, and Washington was recalled from retirement to command it.

In a little more than two years, 84 French ships were captured, mostly privateers, in sea fights to protect American commerce. Yet neither country formally declared war on the other. In 1800 a treaty accepted by both nations put an end to the controversy.

Was it a war? Historians have not yet decided.

Has President Roosevelt's careful study of this period convinced him that there would be nothing new, nothing without precedent, in a decision to protect American ships sailing to a belligerent country? It was done in 1799, and done without formal war resulting.

Could it be done again? And is the possibility now revolving in the mind of the president?

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON—There'll be a hot verbal war between the aluminum industry and the airplane industry before long if the airplane makers don't quit blaming production delays on the shortage of aluminum.

Spokesmen for the aluminum industry insist there is no shortage of aluminum metal. There is, they say, a frequent delay in the delivery of aluminum forgings, which is what causes the talk of an aluminum shortage—and which, they add, is often the fault of the airplane people themselves.

Aluminum forgings are made with dies, which have to be cut by hand from the most high-grade steel obtainable. Cutting the die for a single forging may take as long as six months—it's such a specialized job that one man has to do all of it from start to finish, it's impossible to work men in shifts on it—and the die may cost $15,000 or more.

A couple of years ago, the ordinary plane built in this country used perhaps a dozen aluminum forgings. Today a plane being built to military order will use as many as 250.

Thus it may be nearly six months after a plane company gets a war department contract before production of its forgings can begin. But that isn't all. Each month of the war raises the standards for military planes. A design for a model which has been contracted for but which is not yet in production may be changed slightly—and the change may easily mean that weeks of work on dies have been wasted and that entirely new ones must be made.

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Of Human Errors—

At this point the aluminum people begin to talk about human errors.

Engineers are human. As samples of the newly-made dies begin to reach the factory (these are lead samples, by the way, run off to be fitted together into a factory model before regular production begins) it often develops that this or that part is off by a hundredth of an inch or so. You can't do much to an aluminum forging, once you've got it. Generally, if there has been even a tiny error in design, you've simply got to make a new die. And when airplanes are using 20 times as many forgings as they used to, the chance of getting such errors is naturally 20 times as great.

There are other kinds of mistakes, too. The aluminum people tell of one company which ordered a certain aluminum alloy tubing for landing gears. They got it, then reported that it broke every time they tried to bend it.

"Of course it did," replied the manufacturers. "You didn't tell us you were going to bend it, so we used the one kind of alloy which can't be bent. Now we'll have to make up a new lot for you of a different alloy."

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JIMMIE FIDLER In Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 19.—George Raft has been re-courtin' Virginia Pine (she has a part in Gertrude Lawrence's new legit) but with her, it's "just friends." . . . How come papers failed to note that Eddie Albert wrapped his car around a pole the other night? The car was smashed but Eddie wasn't.

St. Margaret's School (Conn.) is suing Howard Tierney (Gene's papa) for tuition allegedly unpaid when she attended there. . . . Babs Stuart (of The Smoothies) is agitating the pulse of Harold Bostwick, Leo Reisman's pianist. . . . Despite all, this pillar thinks Al Jolson is still warm for Ruby Keeler. . . . Paramount is trying to clear rights to the life of Anna Held, as a Mary Martin starrer.

A loving "fan" just sent Robert Taylor a tarantula via the mails! . . . Cy Bartlett, Alice White's ex, is long-distancing Judy Ford, the "Louisiana Purchase" eyeful. . . . And Bruce Cabot is calling Eleanor French, the New York society thrush, from all stops on his tour. . . . Shirley Temple's momma had to n. g. a fabulous, 26-week air offer because dotter's M-G-M pact stipulates 8 guest shots yearly.

Wot means all the secret conferences between Mary Pickford and Harold Lloyd—a new producing company as hinted here weeks ago? . . . Those two bulls imported from Spain for "Blood and Sand" cost 20th Century the price of a fair sized war. . . . Robert Andrews, who penned "If I Had a Million" and other movies, is biographing the life of Sherman Billingsley, owner of The Stork Club. . . . M-G-M has inked Fay Bainter right from under Warner Brothers' nose.

Here's an amusing sidelight on Mexican business sagacity, reported by members of 20th Century's "Blood and Sand" unit, locationing in Mexico City. In order to film closeups, the company rented a huge storehouse and rigged it with equipment. Visitors were specifically banned but despite stern turnaways at the doors, the crowds increased daily. Becoming curious, the troupe manager began asking questions and learned the chucklesome truth: The owner of the building, working at night, had bored scores of holes through the wall—and was renting them at two-bits an hour!

Mutterings: What satisfaction it would be to choke show-off directors who vent their spleen on extras who can't talk back. . . . Imaginable hilarious evening: Refereeing a no-words-barred argument on "Aid to Britain" between Constance Bennett and Senator Burton K. Wheeler. . . . The longer I'm in Hollywood, the more I'm convinced it's a town of love at first sight—only. . . . Nervous itch: To interrupt a Nelson Eddy concert with a polite "Pardon me, sir, have you a crick in your neck?". . . . Even in Hollywood, a fool and his money are soon departed. . . . Silly notion: Mae West without a risque comeback. . . . Growl: How about a decent break for Robert Young? . . . Ode to mayhem: "Now, Mr. Barrymore, won't you tell our readers about your love life?"

Let's eat dept. "Neapolitan Pizza" (speciality of Romeo's Chianti Restaurant). Dissolve 1-10 yeast cake in little warm water slightly salted, mix with one cup flour to make soft dough. Wrap in damp towel and leave over night in warm place. When ready to make the pizza, roll dough to 1-4 inch thickness, place in pie pan which has been greased with olive oil. Pour in one cup drained canned tomatoes and season with salt and pepper. Place thin slices Mozzarella cheese over tomatoes and sprinkle grated Parmesan cheese over all. Cook in 400-degree oven for 15 minutes and serve piping hot.

Credit Jack Oakie with the week's best comeback. After the preview of a very bad film, he joined the cluster of yes-men around the worried producer. "The audience didn't go for it," admitted that worthy, "so what do we do now?" "Cackle," said Oakie, tetsely.

The hit parade. The screen: RKO's "Mr. and Mrs. Smith" (Carole Lombard and Robert Montgomery). An enjoyable comedy antidote for the profusion of recent glum movies . . . Disc: "Miss Johnson Phoned Again Today" (Bluebird). An entrancing voice (Joan Merrill) takes a song that sounds like Cole Porter, but isn't, and makes a bestseller record. (Other side) "How Did He Look." Just as Cole Porterish and just as bright . . . Most startling magazine sock: The Ford Motor company ad in Friday magazine—which on other pages takes devastating stabs at Henry . . . Song: "How Did It Get So Late So Early?" (From "Tall, Dark and Handsome"). A lilting tune and lyrics you'll probably try to memorize . . . Magazine story: Stanley Paul's "Intercollegiate Mile" (Colliers). A lot of giggles get together and make a funny—and romantic—yarn . . . Book: Jan Valtin's "Out of the Night" (Alliance). A sensational expose of worldwide Nazi and Communist sabotage, written by a man who's been on the inside.

Sunday School Lesson

Sunday School Lesson For January 26
Text: Luke 15:1-10
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.
(Editor of Advance)

A person's conception of Christianity depends very much upon what he conceives to be its nature and mission in the world. If Christianity is just a good religion, a bond for keeping society together, and concerned chiefly with civilized and respectable people, its outreach may easily be limited, and there need be no great thought about the outcast, the underprivileged and the sinful.

But if Christianity be a religion of redemption, and the Gospel a message of God's grace and redeeming love, its chief concern may well be with those who have never found or felt its saving power—those whom we commonly call "the lost."

Whatever may be the profession of modern Christians, in actuality too many of us take the former view, or we should be more aroused about the redemption of humanity than we are. But there is no doubt about what the Gospel meant to Jesus and about His mission and the religion that He brought to man.

If there were any doubt, this lesson would make everything plain. It is obvious that the sinful cannot be saved without some contact with the saints. The Gospel is not just a fine principle, or a pleasant theory or a refining atmosphere. It is a message that has to be declared. It is a power of love and grace that has to be expressed. It is a salvation that, having changed lives, changes other lives through contact and contagion. If you want to save sinners you must go where sinners are.

Jesus knew this and practiced it. He quickly made contact with "publicans and sinners"—the despised collectors of the Roman taxes and the people whose lives and ways did not correspond with the strict ideas of the conventionally religious. As a matter of fact, many of them were not as bad as they were painted. Some of them indeed were genuinely good, or had latent good in them. Is there not the spark of God in every man?

The Pharisees and the scribes murmured about this. They drew their skirts back from contact with anything unclean, and they could not understand that a good man, with love and the passion for redemption in his heart, could become the friend of "publicans and sinners."

Do not condemn them too hastily. They were well meaning. They were the conventionally correct and proper people of their day. But their religion was conventional. It did not go deep into human feeling and the sense of brotherhood toward men whom they did not like or whose conduct they did not approve. Are we better than they? That is the question to ask ourselves.

Jesus replied to their murmuring in two notable parables—the Parable of the Lost Sheep, and the Parable of the Lost Piece of Silver. They are so plain and unmistakable that if we read them aright they require no explanation. The one was glorified for the last generation in Sankey's great son, "The Ninety and Nine." One may wish that it might be heard oftener over the radio or in our churches. It was true to the very heart and spirit of the Gospel.

OUR CHILDREN

BRING BACK THE OLD SAWS
By Angelo Patri

The old copybook maxims have lost ground in the schools. We used to have them for copybook exercises, and we used to meet them on the labels of the text books. The teacher used to give them to us as dictation exercises and on Friday afternoons, if we had finished the week's assignment we had matches to see which side could recite the greatest number of them, none being repeated twice.

Those old maxims are treasure trove. When I meet one of them it brings with it the long train of associations of teachers and schoolmates, trials of moral strength when these stood us in good stead, occasions when we erred and the teacher said, "You have a motto about this. What is it? Did you forget it?" And we remembered with shame what we had forgotten in our haste, that, "He who conquers his spirit is better than he who takes a city."

The children in our school are enjoying a music book that is a collection of old sayings set to music. They sing the book through; I have rarely seen them enjoy anything more than they do these old words: "Waste not, want not. A stitch in time saves nine. For the want of a nail the shoe was lost, for the want of the shoe the horse was lost"—and on to the sad ending—"All for the want of a horseshoe nail."

They enjoy an old song. It has no claim to poetry, literature or good music, but it somehow goes to the hearts of the youngsters. There is the one about the farmer boy at break of dawn, hoeing the corn, and waiting for the dinner horn. When it blew he threw down his hoe and started for the house but the farmer shouted in his ear, "Hoe out your row. Hoe out your row."

The homely words, the plain truths they hold, seem to take hold in the children's minds and they memorize them and enjoy doing so. We find these truths cropping out in their talk, in their compositions and, best of all, in their behavior.

The Fables of Aesop, too, have been neglected for some time now, and they, too, are valuable for what they offer children in simple words that tell a story close to their needs. Maybe it is because they were written in a day when people were close to the simple things of life, simple facts, simple truths, the animals and the growing things and each other. We live in a more complicated world but one no nearer heaven.

A child who knows Aesop has a background of morality surer and stronger than that of the more sophisticated child who reads and knows the latest detective and serial heroes. He who knows the tale of the "Lion's Skin," "The Fox and the Grapes," "The Wolf and the Lamb," has a sounder background for life today than has the one who knows nothing of them but who is well up on his movies.

Why not dust off the old saws and the fables and offer them to this generation? They will be new to most of them, and welcome, too.

Special problems concerning the adjustment of youngsters to their surroundings, from babyhood to adolescence, are considered in Angelo Patri's helpful booklet, "Your Child and Other People." Send for it, enclosing ten cents in coin. Address Angelo Patri, care of Monroe News-Star, P. O. Box 75, Station O, New York, N. Y.

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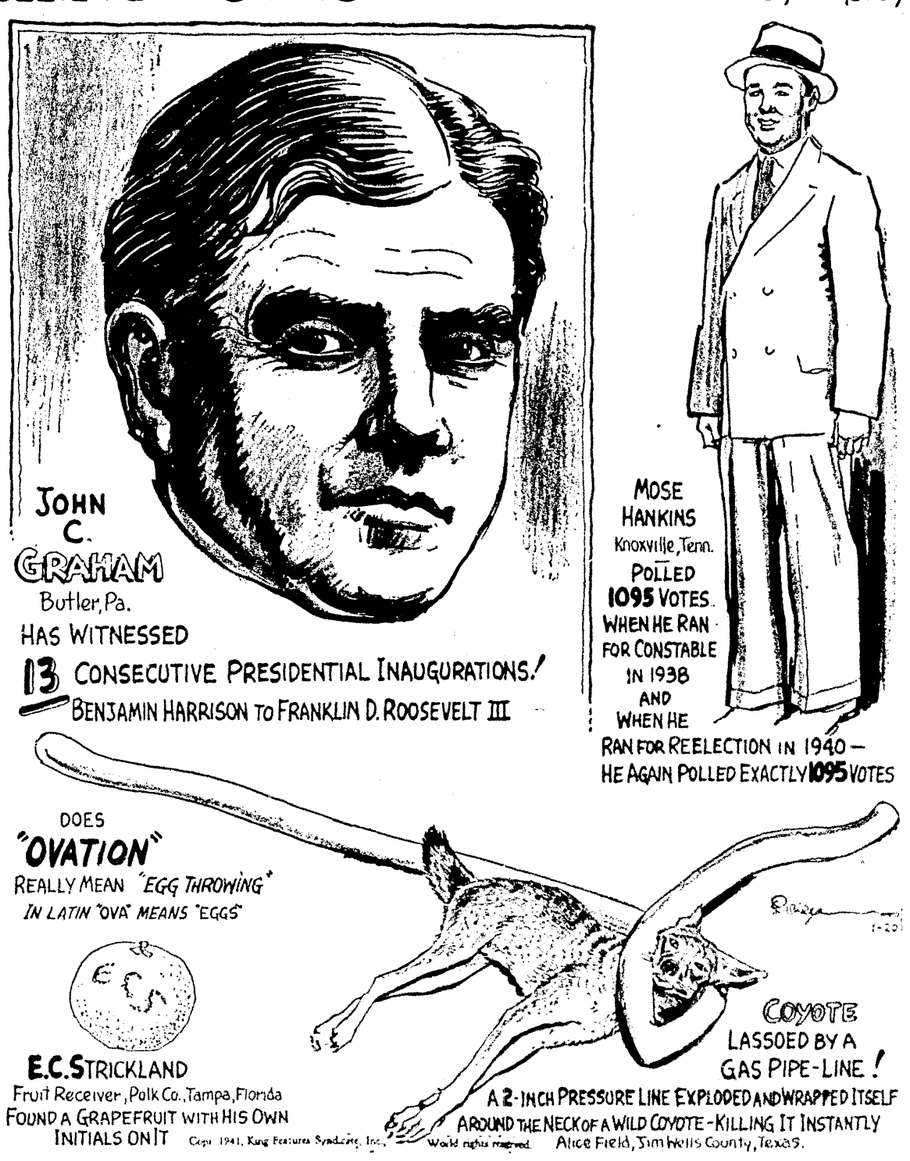
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Garner To Induct Wallace, Skip Other Inaugural Pomp

Texas Jack Ends Long Career In Nation's Capital Without Hatreds

By W. B. Ragsdale

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Just at the moment when bands blare out and soldiers step off into the inaugural parade Monday, a man with white hair and thickety eyebrows will climb aboard a train and head for Uvalde, Tex.

For John Nance Garner will end his 38 years of work in Washington when he administers the oath of office to the new vice-president, Henry Agard Wallace. A few minutes later he will vanish from the Washington scene, dodging the ceremonies that follow.

Parades, dinners, balls, all of these will be left behind. Those who invited him got a polite note of regrets. Where President Roosevelt was involved, Garner talked over the problem with the chief executive and got excused. "I don't blame you," the president told him, in effect, when Garner asked to be allowed to stay away from the reviewing stand past which the inaugural parade will march.

Garner takes no bitterness home with him. He has achieved a philosophy of life which closes the door of his heart against bitterness. He puts it this way:

"Ten or 15 years ago, I began to try to free myself of all hatred and envy of my fellow men. I began to try to go to bed at night without a heart filled with such things. And I began to get rid of worries about tomorrow.

"I was minority leader then. And I said to Ettie (Mrs. Garner), 'I'm going to quit hating people, and quit envying people.' Since then, I have pretty well kept that promise.

"The nearest I have come to breaking it was when I had an argument with the boss over sit-down strikes. But he had asked my opinion. I gave it to him. I was simply doing my duty as I saw it. Long ago I got over any feeling about that.

"And I don't worry about tomorrow. As an individual, no one knows what will happen to him tomorrow. He can't plan for it. So I simply compose myself and go to sleep."

Thirty-eight years is a long time to spend around Washington. And many things have happened since the wintry day in 1903 when the young Texan and his wife settled down in Mrs. Lillie List's boarding house on K street to transact the business of his district.

Congress had no office buildings for its members then. And the Garners had both office and home at the boarding house. The total of government spending that year was only a shade more than half a billion dollars. The new budget calls for about 35 times that much and though defense spending has set it much higher than usual, Washington nowadays is attuned to the thought of billions.

Like the sit-down strikes, the big spending of past years produced a difference between Garner and Mr. Roosevelt. Whatever of property or wealth Garner may have, he got it the hard and thrifty way. No oil bonanzas or stock market deals fed it. He saved and bought land, invested the income carefully in good American earth, not in get rich quick schemes. And he could not reconcile his own ideas of personal thrift with big governmental spending schemes.

In Washington, Garner will be remembered more for the way in which he smoothed the path for other men's bills to become law than for any law to which his own name might have been attached. He introduced few bills, and most of them were the routine measures that the average member of congress introduces, for bridges and public buildings and to specify where federal courts shall meet in their districts.

But, during his first term in congress, he did introduce what was one of the first measures congress ever got that called for a graduated income tax. Nothing happened to it then. But 10 years later there was a graduated income tax. And in 1931, almost two years before the New Deal was swept into power on a rising swell of votes, he introduced another bill to provide almost two and a half billion dollars for public works and general relief projects. The measure carried a tax to pay its way.

Not much happened to that bill either, except that it was called "pork barrel" and there was a great deal of shouting about politics. For Garner was then the Democratic speaker of the house—by a one-vote margin—in a Republican administration, and he was being spoken of as a potential candidate for president in the coming 1932 campaigns. Two years later there was a public works and relief program.

Between the time he introduced his income tax bill and the production of his public works bill, he had grown to be the most potent single member of congress. And his strength lay chiefly in tightly riveted friendships, not alone with Democrats but with Republicans who were powers in their own right. As a young member, he belonged to Speaker Joe Cannon's poker circle. In his middle years, his friendship with Speaker Nicholas Longworth was a national legend. They were Republicans, he a Democrat. Yet, when he was leader for his own party in the house and Longworth chief of the opposition, the two were boon companions and he often referred to the speaker's automobile as "our car." In his later years as vice-president, his whole power rested upon that tightly bound but wide circle of friends he had made in his years in Washington.

Often in those days, he would tell friends:

"I wish I had stayed in the house. I didn't ever ask anyone to be vice-president. If I had stayed on as speaker, I would have been in that place longer than any speaker in history—10 years. The longest has been six."

But the simple wish to have held the job longer than any other man was not the real reason why he expressed that thought. The real answer lay in the fact that:

"The only power I have is such as I can wield through my friends. A vice-president's power is restricted according to his personality and friends. All he has is an affirmative vote. He can vote 'yes' but he can't vote 'no.' A bill is defeated on a tie vote in the senate unless the vice-president votes 'yes.' It is only through his friends that a vice-president can accomplish anything."

HOME TO ROOST

WICHITA, Kas.—(AP)—A Wichita man who keeps chickens noticed that one of his hens had a piece of paper caught in her mouth.

Investigating, he discovered that attached to the paper was a piece of string. When he pulled on the string, out came a kernel of corn that the chicken had swallowed.

Written on the paper was this note: "Please keep your chickens at home."

STAMP NEWS

By I. S. Klein

Stamp Albums Filled With Famous Churches

MAN'S place of worship has long been a favorite design for stamps. Hungary's Cathedral of Kassa, pictured above, is but one of the hundreds of churches to be found in philately.

There's no religious intolerance in stamps. Practically all faiths are represented, both ancient religions and modern beliefs. You'll find Mayan temples, Shinto shrines and Mohammedan mosques readily available if you begin a collection of this kind.

Belgium and France are noted for their Gothic cathedrals, and many of these have been reproduced on adhesives. Belgium's 1940 issue of famous bell towers was a recent addition to the group. Notre Dame de Paris appears on 24 issues.

Nicaragua likes its Leon church well enough to put it on nearly 200 values. The Acropolis of Athens appears more than 30 times.

United States has no church issues, although the Holy Trinity Church of Wilmington, Del., appeared on a Swedish stamp.

EXTENSION CLASS IS FORMED HERE

A class in Social and Civic Foundation was organized at Northeast Junior College, Friday afternoon, with J. M. Nason of the Louisiana State University extension division as instructor.

The course will include discussions concerning propaganda, the press, motion pictures, the radio, education and democracy; education in relation to the home, public opinions and moral education. In a word, the instructor states, the course will comprise a critical approach to the whole problem of education.

Graduate and undergraduate credit will be given. Those seeking added information can obtain it by phoning 4767 or 1677-M.

FAIRBANKS HYGIENE CLASS IS ORGANIZED

A Home Hygiene class was organized at a recent meeting in the home of Mrs. O. J. Ham, Fairbanks. The class was organized under the direction of Miss Frances Page, Red Cross health nurse, with the following officers being elected: President, Mrs. G. F. Mosby; vice-president, Miss Vera Pylant; secretary, Mrs. Tom King; program chairman, Mrs. Brutus Savell; publicity chairman, Mrs. Lee Morgan; hospitality chairman, Mrs. V. Marsala.

Members enrolled in the class were Mrs. G. F. Mosby, Miss Vera Pylant, Mrs. Tom King, Mrs. Brutus Savell, Mrs. Lee Morgan, Mrs. V. Marsala, Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Henry Miller, Mrs. I. P. Robinson, Mrs. Julia Scott, Mrs. T. J. Turner, Mrs. Fred Wilson. Several women who could not be at the organization meeting are expected to join at the next meeting, to be held in the home of Mrs. Clark.

Forty-five per cent of cedar chests sold today are purchased by men.

New York Day by Day

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL
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NEW YORK—Diary: Comes an in vitation from a civic organization, asking me to speak in my home town, at an early date. W I accept? . . . Sa Mr. Jack Frye, you still stop tho big ships at Wich ita? . . . and a le ter from M. E. Hu better, Austin, Te an old and valu correspondent, sa ing that the sta say that if I c hold out until Ma I'll enter upon t finest period of m life, with banne waving. . . . That's fine, and thanks you and the stars, M. E. H. It's tru that I've been bedevilled by influen and sore throat a goodly part of th winter, but otherwise, I've no com plaint, and I'll try to hold out till Ma . . . I've been going over some not tions on the mail, and I know it wi please a few readers to learn that th three most popular columns of th series in the last six months were a written recently, and all while I wa ill of flu. . . . One was about th Mormons singing "Thanks be to God One was the New Year's day colum about the experience of hearing a fa miliar prayer through the headphone while flying high over the Middl West, and the third—I forget. Some thing about the dogs and the hom . . . Really, some of the perfectly sen sible people I meet every day woul be astonished if they had any mean of knowing what the American peopl are thinking about.

Anybody with any sense shoul know better than to pay any attentio to anonymous letters. Every write gets his quota of them. Fortunately my quota has been very small.

Through years of newspaper editin experience, I learned that nearly a persons who write letters which the are afraid to sign are either insan or unfortunate victims of dope.

Still, I was annoyed by anonymou letters emanating from a New Eng land town, variously disguised, bu fitting into a pattern.

The writer was easily traced. Suc a sad story of frustration and trag edy! I'll never do it again. The sec retary has instructions to destroy a anonymous communications without reading them. I am glad to say tha the poor patient was in no way an noyed by the investigation.

The most artistic book-form calen dar I have seen for this year come from Jack Frost, artist, and is pub lished by Waverly House, Boston. I carries no advertisement, and I've n idea how the backers are going to ge their money out of it.

It's called Jack Frost Calendar. Each left-hand page is one week, wit spaces for the day's engagements. Each right-hand page is a stunning etchin by Jack Frost. Most of the scenes ar New England, but there are some fin ones of New York.

One of the most artistic is an etch ing of Saint Paul's Chapel, in down town Broadway. Back of it you see t proposed office building, and the other commercial towers are suggested by pastel outlines. It is noted that this old Manhattan church is modeled, in part, after St. Martin's-in-the-Fields in London. That was one of my favorite churches in London. I really fell in love with it. They say it isn't there any more, and I don't think I shall go back.

A good block represents Riverside church, known in town as the Rockefeller church, on Riverside drive, near Grant's tomb. The section beneath the church is the park. The tower is an office building. Which is not quite true. The church offices and the offices of the pastor, Harry Emerson Fosdick, are in the tower. Natives enough, but it doesn't make the tower an office building in the accepted sense.

Grant's Tomb itself is given a page. There has been much criticism of this famous burial place on the part of critics who say it looks more like a beer garden or a lodge and roller. But what else are you going to do with a tomb? Mr. Frost's drawing of the structure brings out the beauty of the lines. During the last restoration it has been completely restored to original plans, a great credit to those who didn't want to mess it up.

Old Trinity, at the head of Wall street, is well done in this collection. Again, the pen beneath record a pardonable error. It is recorded that Captain Kidd, before turning pirate, assisted in the construction of this church by lending gear for hoisting. Captain Kidd never was a pirate, though crooked politicians attached a name to his name.

St. Luke's Church, one of the most interesting of all the very old New York churches, is given a dignified page. The tomb of Alexander Hamilton, in Trinity churchyard, makes one of the most interesting scenes. The original Madison Square Garden, Stanford White's fateful masterpiece, shows up well in etching.

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MRS. R. R. CANN HEADS DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

Mrs. R. R. Cann, Logtown club, was named president of the Ouachita Parish Home Demonstration council at a recent meeting of representatives of the 13 parish groups, Miss Elizabeth Whatley, assistant home agent, announced yesterday.

Other officers named to serve during 1941 were Mrs. C. B. Hammett, Swartz, vice-president; Mrs. Gene Berry, Cypress club, secretary; Mrs. M. L. DeFreese, Calhoune club, treasurer; Mrs. John Franton, Claiborne club, delegate at large; Mrs. J. H. Cordell, Bosco club, parliamentarian; Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Swartz club, recreational leader.

Bible Thought

Let brotherly love continue. Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.—Hebrews 13:1,2.

An effort made for the happiness of others lifts above ourselves.—L. M. Child.

PRESSING NEED FOR PHYSICIANS IN MISSISSIPPI

Average Age Of Doctors Is 54; Younger In Cities

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 18.—(AP)—A pressing need for medical profession recruits in Mississippi was indicated today in statistics released by the state health board.

The figures showed:

That Mississippi's physicians average 54 years of age; that more than 3,000 people are served by doctors over 70; and that more Mississippi doctors are in the 60-69 age groups than in any other.

Of the state's 1,400 physicians, at least 500 are inactive, Dr. Felix J. Underwood, state health officer, reported. That leaves the remainder with an average clientele, based on the state's population, of more than 1,500 persons.

Dr. Underwood's investigations also revealed:

Only two physicians, both over 70 years old, serving 3,217 persons in Issaquena county—an average of 406 square miles.

Greene county, where 3,171 people live in an area of 710 square miles, is served by three doctors.

In Itawamba six physicians average 63 years in age must cover 529 square miles to treat 3,300 people.

Of the state's doctors 459 fall into the under-50-year-age group, 955 into the over-50 bracket. Two are between 90 and 99 years old.

During 1939, when 52,288 babies were born in the state, 1,675 white women and 23,949 negroes went to midwives.

Between 1920 and 1940 the state's population increased by 391,145 persons, the medical profession drew only 577 new adherents to its ranks.

More specialized study, commented Dr. Underwood, would reveal that most of the younger doctors are to be found in the state's cities and towns; in rural districts medical care is usually in the hands of a patriarch who started his rounds in a horse and buggy.

BRITAIN MAY GET OLD AUTO TAGS

Purchasing Commission Wants Analysis Of Metals Contained

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The Britain are interested in the revenue department's offer of some 20,000 pairs of unused 1940 automobile license plates as scrap metal for possible use in making shells or other war materials.

Consul-General D. J. Rutgers at New Orleans has replied the British purchasing commission would like an analysis of metals contained in Louisiana 1940 licenses.

So the revenue department, which offers the license plates for the taking to Britain, has written for a description of metals in the plates.

It seems the state bought the stuff in sheet form from a Tennessee firm. Convicts at the penitentiary at Angola operate a plant which cuts out the licenses, stamps the numbers and applies the paint.

The state's offer to give away its unused plates has aroused interest elsewhere and a number of civic organizations in Louisiana communities have elaborated on the idea and started collecting discarded 1940 plates. Shreveport already has accumulated a pile.

Then the Louisiana Motor Transport Association, through its secretary, B. H. Grayson, has offered trucks free for carting the plates to any central Louisiana point the British may desire.

The whole plan seems hinged now in finding out whether there is any materials in the plates Britain actually can use, or find it worthwhile to ship them.

Incidentally, the automobile license-fabricating plant at Angola claims it turned out this year's plates in record time, daubing them in the black on white color scheme in vogue for 1941.

A total 398,665 pairs of licenses were turned out, that is for automobiles. There were more than 30,000 single plates made additionally for sale for other types of vehicles.

The plant has resumed its usual routine of road-sign and marker manufacturing.

An airplane pilot who is not provided with oxygen begins to lose mental and physical efficiency at about 12,000 feet.

CHURCH READY FOR DEDICATION

World Staff Photos

The new St. Pascal's Catholic Church of West Monroe will be dedicated today by Bishop Daniel F. Desmond of Alexandria. Participating in the ceremonies are Rev. Henry Freiburg, O. F. M., pastor, shown left in the lower photo, and Very Rev. Vincent Schrempp, O. F. M., St. Louis, Mo., provincial of the Sacred Heart province of the Franciscans.

Happenings At Capital

By Richard L. Turner

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Congressional discussion of the Roosevelt British aid bill has centered itself first and last this week with the question of limiting the administrative powers which the measure might confer on President Roosevelt.

It is already virtually certain that the measure will include a clause restricting the grant by the bill's terms unfavorably expire two years or some other period after its passage. It was practically the first amendment proposed, and administration leaders quickly gave it their approval. There will be no fight over that one.

But where some of the real axe is concerned, there is heavy weather ahead. This is particularly true of proposals to forbid the president to transfer any more naval vessels to the British. Secretary of War Stimson told the house foreign affairs committee he was opposed to such an amendment. He could foresee, he said, circumstances under which it would be advantageous to transfer vessels. He followed the statement up with a warning that if the British navy were destroyed or surrendered the United States would stand in danger of an air attack by the axis powers.

Proposals for amendments requiring that England post reasonable collateral before any equipment is loaned to her, for naming England and the nations of the British commonwealth as the only countries to which equipment may be sent, for preventing the use of American ports to outfit or repair belligerent vessels have been advanced and are under discussion.

Administration leaders at the capitol are obviously disposed to examine them sympathetically when they come from supporters of the British aid plan, who are merely endeavoring to perfect the bill. Before it is over, the chances are that they will accept several in addition to the time-limit amendment. But any suggestions from the Wheeler-Clark-Johnson opposition camp—a group opposed to the whole philosophy of the bill—are skeptically regarded.

The administration leadership feels certain that it has a big majority behind it. It is ready to make concessions to the friends of the president's foreign policy for the sake of keeping their votes in line, if the concessions do not interfere with the purposes of the bill. But there are no votes to be gained by making concessions to Senator Wheeler and his colleagues.

Secretary Stimson, in his testimony before the house committee, made a point which surprised most of its members and impressed a number of them. It was that international law, as it stood before the European war began, covers and sanctions American assistance to England. Hardly, he said, could such help be characterized as an act of war, a contention repeatedly raised by the opposition.

Just the day before, Secretary Hull had been telling the committee that international law was gone, that the march of the dictators and their complete disregard for what once was the code of the nations made it necessary that this country abandon the niceties of international relationships and fall back upon the first law of existence —self defense.

But Stimson had a different idea. Hull's suggestion was sound common sense, he said, but nevertheless, the United States does not have to invoke the plea of self defense to justify its help to Britain. He said the Kellogg-Briand treaty effected a great change in international law, one recognized by the scholars on that subject but little understood by the public.

In fact, he said, the 38th conference on international law in Budapest in 1934 said that if a signatory of that treaty should violate it by making war upon another, all signatories were free to help the nation attacked with money, supplies, or even with armed forces.

Stimson agreed with Hull that international law was dead, and essentially there was no conflict in their positions. Each had reached his conclusions by different but converging paths of thought.

Much interest was stirred during the week by statements from two top Republican leaders—Wendell L. Willkie and Herbert Hoover.

Willkie came out strongly for the lend-lease bill, although he urged that a time limitation be included. Hoover strongly endorsed the general idea of all aid short of war to Great Britain, but suggested a number of ways in which positive definitions of the powers to be given the president should be written into the measure. Most of his proposed restrictions, however, are certain to be opposed by the administration's forces.

Willkie's statement carried him on from the position he took during the campaign. That attitude, at the time, was much at variance with the voting records of congressional Republicans on issues related to American foreign policy. Driven together by their opposition to the New Deal, the Republicans, particularly those in the house, formed for several years a tightly knit, effective and well-organized bloc. The issue of the lend-lease bill, though, is separating them into two increasingly acrimonious camps, just now. However, Representative Martin, Republican, Massachusetts, and his colleagues of the party leadership are confident that as soon as some strictly pro or anti-New Deal issue is presented, the two groups will congeal again.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED

Ceremonies At St. Pascal's Will Be Held At 10 A. M. Today

St. Pascal's Catholic church, situated on North Seventh street between Woodrow and Wilson streets in West Monroe, will be dedicated at 10 a.m. today by Bishop Daniel F. Desmond of Alexandria.

Dedication ceremonies will consist of blessing of the exterior and interior walls of the edifice, followed by mass to be held in the new church. Very Rev. Vincent Schrempp, O. F. M., provincial of the Sacred Heart province at St. Louis, Mo., is scheduled to celebrate the mass.

Because of the dedication ceremonies there will be no 9 o'clock mass.

Clergymen attending the dedication will be Rev. Henry Freiburg, pastor, Rev. Anselm Reckamps, Rev. Jasper Muass, Rev. Walfrid Boesche and Rev. John C. Marsh of Hodge, all of the Order of Friars Minor. Others attending will be Mayor Harry Williams of West Monroe, H. H. Land, architect, and C. C. Burkett, contractor. A banquet at one of the Monroe hotels will follow the services.

The church unofficially opened with midnight mass Christmas eve and was celebrated by Father Henry. An improvised altar and pews were erected for the occasion.

Under construction for more than two months, the interior of the church is of two-tone insulating board and is illuminated by modern fluorescent lights. A unique feature of the new church is the altar fashioned after the table in DaVinci's "Last Supper."

Father Henry is the first Franciscan to reside in this territory and will have charge of West Monroe's first Catholic church.

Born in Quincy, Ill., Father Henry attended Our Lady of Angels seminary at Cleveland, O., and was ordained at Teutopolis, Ill., in 1930. He performed parish work for two years at Superior, Wis., following his ordination, and preceding his appointment to West Monroe, he was stationed at Cleveland.

JINXES FAIL TO MAR 'JUNE MAD'

Play Successful Despite Worries To Superstitious People

The various would-be jinxes in connection with the Northeast Junior college production of "June Mad," Thursday night, were unable to contrive to mar the show. A cast of 13 did not worry the members of the speech department as they busily worked on their first major dramatic efforts of the year. Nor did they take too much account of a bit of stage action which caused one of the comedy characters to walk under a ladder when he did it incorrectly at one rehearsal. But—when the large mirror—already hung in its place on the set, fell to the floor and was broken on the very day of the production, that was going just a bit too far toward testing out well-established jinxes. The director viewed the ruins with a question-mark look and hastily made adjustments lest some member of the cast might possess a superstitious nature.

But there was no cause for worry. The cast was determined that it would take something stronger than a mere broken mirror, a group of 13, and walking under a ladder to keep them from doing their best to give their audience an evening of delightful entertainment. The response of a most appreciative audience was a distinct aid in further causing the cast to put forth every effort for a smooth performance.

The set was repainted by the students and director with a design to resemble wallpaper. It was a pleasing change from the plain effect which had been used in all other school plays this year. Zach Daughtry was responsible for the design and the following students were the wielders of the paint brushes: Billy Canterbury, Tim Tippet, Dorothy Dennis, Mildred Hill, Virginia McDowell, Marion Dupont, Frances Smith, Arthur Auerbach, Billy Harp, Helmut Strauss, and Gerald Michael.

A tireless and efficient property committee headed by Martha Marshall included Viola Batson, Margie Lee, Elaine Calloway, Mildred Meredith, and Leslie Abrams.

A new electric door and telephone bell for sound effect use was made by Earl Bullis, a student interested in electrical engineering.

The important job of directing publicity was cared for by Mrs. Annie Lee West Stahl, director of the "Pow-Wow," and Erline Lusk.

Oberah Massie, house manager, was assisted by ushers Jean Tabb, Erline Lusk, Louis Smith, Margaret Dugal, Henry Sandman, Arthur Auerbach, and Billy Harp.

Attractive programs prepared by the Office Practice class of the Northeast Junior college under the direction of Alvin Pitts, instructor, carried the comedy and tragedy masks, traditional symbols of drama, designed by Roy Henderson, art instructor. Further cooperation of the art department was exemplified in the two beautiful original oil paintings from the Lockwood exhibit now on display in the library building.

All of the above factors gave inspiration to the well-selected cast. Mignon Griffing, as Penny Wood, who was struck with "June madness" joined with Jake Ussery, who portrayed the part of Chuck Harris, the boy next door, in turning in splendid performances in these leading roles. The comedy leads were effectively handled by Betty Yeldell and Foster Wilson. In the parts of middle-aged parents who had a bit of trouble with their bewildered offspring, Sue McBride as Mrs. Wood, Helmut Strauss, as Dr. Wood and Gerald Michael as Mr. Harris, portrayed their parts convincingly. Shady Wall, as Roger Van Vleck, the college glamor boy of the play, enacted this role quite well. Olga Lipson was splendid as the young neighborhood "worry wart" and drew her share of laughs from the audience as she filled her part in always appearing in the "wrong place at the right time" and divulging the family secrets. Jerry Honeycutt as the older sister of the problem boy and Earl Bullis as the college boy uncle, were ideally cast in their roles. Carolyn Husted and Tim Tippit added charm to the whole and played their parts well although they had small roles.

VARIABLE

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COLORED DRIVERS ASKED TO MEETING

Employers of negro truck drivers are urged to ask their men to attend a safety meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the New Hope Baptist church for negroes.

Principal speakers will be Judge W. M. Harper and Sergeant J. M. Busby, who will speak in connection with the safety campaign of the Junior Chamber of Commerce to begin Monday.

Negro committeemen are Henry Carroll, chairman; Rev. P. C. Keals, director, and Joseph Pembleton, Ivory January, Bob Powell, Jr., Elven Hoston, Jr., and George Mills.

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THOUSANDS JAM WASHINGTON FOR INAUGURAL FETE

(Continued from First Page)

said "clear and cold," but as always some, after scanning skies, were unwilling to take his word for it.

The central figure of the nation's great quadrennial spectacle, President Roosevelt, the only man in the nation's history to take the oath of office three times, was quietly busy at the White House.

He received no visitors and spent the day among the ship pictures of the oval study on the second floor of the executive mansion, relaxing and preparing his inaugural speech.

It will be short, White House attaches said—not more than 12 minutes. In his fireside chat of Christmas week, they added, and in his annual message to Congress he said about all that could be said on the great problem of the moment—saving democracy from totalitarian aggression. Stephen Early, the president's secretary, said Mr. Roosevelt was already at work on his third draft of the speech.

From the other department of the White House establishment came word that there would be 26 houseguests for the inauguration—many of whom had already arrived—including virtually the entire Roosevelt family, the Democratic branch of it, that is, and close family friends.

The official inaugural program begins tomorrow. At 2:30 p.m., eastern standard time, the Lafayette Square reviewing stands will be the scene of a brief interdenominational church service. The Rev. Dr. John Keating, Roman Catholic, Rabbi Norman Gerstenfeld, the Rev. Seth R. Brooks, Universalist, and the Rev. Albert J. McCartney, Presbyterian, all of Washington, will participate.

At 3 p.m. the third annual memorial services of the District of Columbia national guard will take place at Washington Cathedral (Episcopalian).

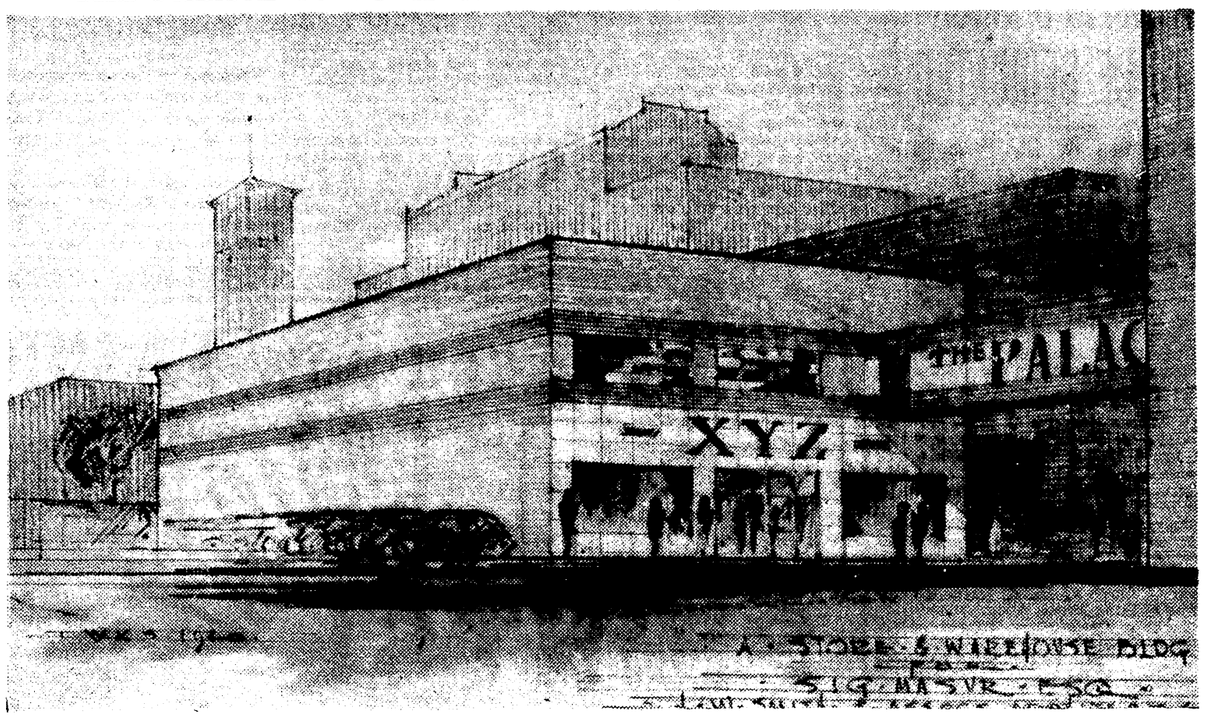
An hour later, Joseph E. Davis, former ambassador to Russia and Belgium and now chairman of the inaugural committee, and Mrs. Davis will give a reception to the governors of states. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt have been invited and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover, too.

The electoral college will hold a dinner for some 1,500 people at the Mayflower at 7 o'clock. Attorney General Jackson, Edward J. Flynn, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and Josephus Daniels, ambassador to Mexico, will be the speakers.

The governors will dine with William S. Knudsen, in charge of defense production, at 8 o'clock at the Carlton Hotel. It is understood that an intimate discussion of defense problems is planned.

At 8:45 there will be an "inaugural gala" at Constitution Hall. Charlie Chaplin will deliver a speech from his movie, "The Great Dictator." Eddie Cantor, Irving Berlin, Nelson Eddy, Raymond Massey, Mickey Rooney, Ethel Barrymore and Rise Stevens are on the program with the dramatist, Robert Sherwood, a close friend of the president, as master of ceremonies.

THE PALACE TO BUILD NEW TWO-STORY ANNEX IMMEDIATELY



Above is shown the architects' drawing of a two-story annex to be constructed by The Palace. Work will start immediately. The building will be constructed across the street from the rear of The Palace and will be connected with an "overpass" running from the main store, as shown to the right. The lower floor will be occupied by another store, it was announced. The floor has not been rented so far and the "X Y Z" on the drawing is used in place of the store name to be substituted later.

KENNEDY AGAINST U. S. WAR ENTRY

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gether with trained army and navy experts.

"They know best what we can spare," he said. "The American people have confidence in them and will trust their judgment. They have taken oath to defend this country and that means defend it against all aggressors."

Kennedy declared that "under our policy" we could give the British guns, ammunition, airplanes and "everything that doesn't make war inevitable."

"Because aid to England is part of a constructive American policy to safeguard America," he said, "we should go to the very limit in our assistance, but not to a point which would endanger our protection."

Many Americans, Kennedy said, feared that Hitler would declare war on the United States if this country continued to aid Britain.

"Don't forget," he said, "that Hitler will declare war on this country or will make an attack, only when he thinks that such action is for his very best interests. This country certainly has committed acts sufficiently unneutral to justify a less despotic tyrant than Hitler to declare war. The American people obviously have not had the slightest desire to remain neutral in the face of the aggression of the axis powers."

Kennedy said that only a very few Americans wanted to go to war, and the great majority felt that war was "not for our best interests." Those who had lost hope for peace in America, he said, were "the real defeatists."

"Unless we are attacked," he said, "the American people do not have to go to war. They will not go to war if they will to stay out of war. There will be no American intervention while there continues to be free and open discussion, while the people know all the facts, and while our system of popular government functions."

Kennedy said he regarded it "impossible" for a foreign power to invade this country, and likewise regarded it "impossible for us to invade Europe."

"Frankly," he said, "if I could be assured that America, unprepared as she now is, could by declaring war on Germany, within the space of say a year, end the threat of German domination, I would be in favor of declaring war right now.

"The inescapable point, however, is that we are not prepared to fight a war—even a defensive one—at the moment, let alone an offensive one. Furthermore, could anyone make a safe prediction that the war would be ended in a year, or even two, with that help we would be able to spend?

"As I said in my speech for the president (declaring for the reelection of Mr. Roosevelt) I cannot see where we could get the ships to carry the necessary army and equipment for our participation in the war. Further than that, I really don't know where our army would go if we started off to fight a war."

There are those, he said, who say "we can go to war and yet not use our manpower."

"This sounds feasible," he commented. "Would it be feasible six months hence? I do not believe it. To me we are either all the way in the war or all the way out of it. Even if it appears to be feasible today, let us not forget that never in the history of mankind have events taken place with such lightning speed."

Kennedy, noting that Prime Minister Winston Churchill had said yesterday, "we do not require in 1941 large armies from overseas," asked:

"Does that mean our boys are expected over there in 1942?"

There had been no debate on this country's "war aims," in the event we went to war, he said. He asked, "are we to sign a blank check?"

"Common sense would seem to require that there be the most complete clarification of American aims in this conflict before we take the fatal step," he said.

"Some use the argument," he added, "that should the axis powers prevail they would inevitably impose on America a totalitarian regime. They therefore argue that we should go to war to prevent this. But have they considered that by becoming involved in a war they may lose the very thing for which they are fighting? How long could a democracy last while trying to fight a long drawn out war?"

A world ruled by totalitarianism, he said, was "a terrible future to contemplate," but he asserted this country's entry into the war would virtually leave Russia "alone outside the war area, getting stronger while the rest of the world approached exhaustion."

"Suppose we go in and the war continues for two or three years," he said. "We will be paying the whole bill—make no mistake about that. Does anyone in his right mind think that the world won't be completely bankrupt?"

He asked if the United States entered the war and won who would reorganize Europe. He said this nation's taxes would be high, the national debt enormous, there would be an army to demobilize and the nation would have to readjust itself from a war to a peace basis. The same conditions, he said, would prevail in England.

"Yet, to keep defeated Germany and the other countries from going completely communistic we will have to reorganize them as well as ourselves, probably standing guard while this reorganization is taking place. I shudder to contemplate it. Are our children's and our grandchildren's lives to be spent standing guard in Europe while heaven knows what happens in America? These are only some of the factors to be considered when it is suggested that we get in the war."

PALACE STORE TO SPAN STREET

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60 across the rear and 150 feet deep.

The second floor of the addition will be utilized by The Palace as a storeroom and fixture room. Now used for storage, the sixth floor of the main structure will be converted into an additional selling floor. Thus, the addition will amount to some 3,000 square feet of new selling space and about 3,500 square feet of floor space for reserve stock, Mr. Masur observed. The latest in fixtures and lighting facilities will be used to equip the new building.

The first floor of the structure will house some other business, Mr. Masur indicated.

Unusual, the connecting passageway is the only way necessary expansion could be accomplished, the president and general manager explained. Covered with a metal material, the bridge will connect the second floors of the two buildings.

Other improvements will be made in the main Palace building within the next four or five months, Mr. Masur said.

Present plans for the expansion of Monroe's largest department store are in conformity with the program of improvements which has been followed for the past several years. Windows were installed on the Harrison street side of the six-story structure in 1935; then in 1936 the second floor was remodeled. In 1937, Mr. Masur installed air conditioning to provide shopping comfort for Palace patrons and in 1938 the entire store front was remodeled. And in 1939 modern, new fixtures were installed on the street floor as another step in the modernization of the store.

The Palace opened its doors to the public in February, 1903, at 202 DeSiard street. The building it occupied was a small two-story structure. The first annex was built in 1914 on property adjoining the original store. The new addition consisted of two floors, each with 3,300 square feet of floor space, a mezzanine and a stock room.

Two years later another annex was built, giving The Palace a total floor space of 19,720 feet. And then in 1923 Mr. Masur began plans for a greater Palace, and in 1925 the store opened a new addition that consisted of a six-story fireproof structure with the most modern fixtures and combining in its plans the most useful and artistic features.

Associated with Mr. Masur in the operation of The Palace are two sons, Sylvan and Jack Masur; Sam W. Davis, office and credit manager, and a staff of more than 75 persons who are specialists in their various departments.

WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

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couple had been married three years.

The car occupied by the Friths was almost demolished and the one driven by Carpenter was said to have been damaged considerably.

Dr. S. A. Collins, of Monroe, was the only eye witness of the accident. He told investigating officers that Carpenter appeared to be traveling 75 or 80 miles per hour when his car crashed into the rear of the Frith automobile.

Funeral services for Mrs. Frith will be held at the Dixie Funeral Home chapel in Monroe at 11 a.m. Monday, with interment in the Walnut Grove Cemetery near Eros. Mrs. Frith was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brooks of Calhoun.

PERSHING IN HOT SPRINGS

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Smiling and apparently in high spirits, General John J. Pershing arrived here by train today for a rest and physical checkup at the army and navy general hospital. Told he was looking well, the 80-year-old World war A. E. F. commander replied, "And I came down here to get myself looking better."

JONES IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Governor Sam Jones of Louisiana arrived here by plane last night to attend the inauguration of President Roosevelt on Monday.

Approximately 28 persons die in fires in the United States every day.

situation was well in hand. The Germans also claimed to have bombed Plymouth, Bristol, Southampton and Portland Friday night.

In Rome one of Mussolini's ministers, Giuseppe Bottai, of the educational department, charged in his "Critica Fascista" that the United States already was "carrying out war against the axis powers and the tripartite pact according to its interests and the means at its disposal."

Virginio Gayda, Fascist commentator for Il Giornale d'Italia, said American "interventionists" by intense activity were hoping to provoke the axis into reaction "which would then be passed off as a new agressive move to which the United States would have to reply by force."

The 8,199-ton French freighter Mendoza, carrying food for France, was captured off the southern Brazilian coast by a British cruiser she had dodged for nearly a week in an attempt to run the south Atlantic blockade.

AMERICAN SAILOR DOWNS SWASTIKA

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fly the German flag without also displaying an American emblem.

Captain Wiedemann explained that he was under orders to fly his flag on January 18, anniversary of the Reich's founding in 1871, and said it would have been taken down at 1 o'clock, Saturday closing time for the consulate.

As the crowd grew a small American flag was hung from the window of a vacant office directly above the big swastika emblem. A nearby department store hastily brought out a huge American ensign, 20 feet long and ten feet wide.

Several young men, who heatedly had protested the presence of the Nazi flag to police, finally went into action, ascending the fire escape to the ninth floor. Outside the windows of the consulate they shouted a demand that the flag be hauled in.

"Go on down, you must be drunk," Dr. Otto Denzer, vice-consul yelled back. "If you don't watch out you will kill yourselves."

The group entered a tenth story window and reached the empty office above the flagpole. While the crowd, which by then filled O'Farrell street and overflowed into Market street, alternately cheered and held its breath, Sturtevant slowly let himself down to the flagpole.

Finally, Sturtevant's companions were able to grab a corner of the ensign and a brief tug-of-war between stories ensued. The consulate employes got most of the flag, which was badly torn in the middle and missing a corner.

The crowd let out a roar as the emblem disappeared, then continued cheering as Sturtevant climbed back through the window. The flag was torn down 15 minutes before the consular employes would have hauled it in.

"I couldn't let that flag stay up there," Sturtevant declared. "It was up to someone to get it down, so I just went up there."

"I'm from Charlotte, North Carolina, and there aren't any bunds there," added Lackey.

Captain Wiedemann said any further instructions would come from Washington.

The consul general and World War commander of Adolf Hitler declined comment beyond, "The facts speak for themselves." He said the German ensign had been displayed on previous anniversaries without incident.

Captain Walsh, who conferred with army authorities on international custom regarding foreign flags, termed the incident "embarrassing" to the American government. "The consulate is the same as German soil, and makes an incident like this international in character," he asserted.

As result of today's activity, the lease of the consulate was ordered cancelled by the company which owns the building.

AIR FIELD GETS $280,000

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A $280,000 allocation for expansion and improvement of Alvin Callender field at Belle Chasse for overflow traffic from New Orleans airport was announced today by Raymond H. Saal, superintendent of city airports. Construction of three 500-feet wide runways and expansion of the field from 165 to 465 acres will begin "within two or three weeks," Saal said. The field is owned by the city.

BARRACKS WERE OPPOSED

At one time bararcks for housing soldiers were opposed in England on grounds that they would encourage the growth of a standing army.

2 MAY DISCUSS HELP FOR DUCE

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foreshadows Nazi action in the Balkans or simply additional German aerial aid from Italian and perhaps Rumanian bases or a move against Gibraltar was a matter of conjecture.

The Germans already have installed dive-bombers at Catania, Sicily, and yesterday there were reports from Belgrade, Yugoslavia, that they were speeding up repairs and building to air fields in southern Rumania, setting up new hangars and buildings for munitions, accumulating vast stores of gasoline and protecting the fields with anti-aircraft guns mounted on whippet tanks.

On the Libyan front there was little change. The British continued to bring up artillery and make their preparations for the big assault on Tobruk. The R. A. F. was active and reported starting two big fires and causing ten explosions in an attack on military buildings at the Tobruk base Thursday night, and similar fires and an explosion near the main quay.

The Nile valley was raided by Italian planes for the first time since early December.

Informed sources in Berlin said German planes had successfully attacked a London convoy and two British airports yesterday. The weather was bad, a blizzard raged across the Dover straits, but German planes nevertheless crossed to Britain, one by one, and pounded the east coast. One got through to London and unloaded five bombs on a residential district—the capital's first daylight raid in 12 days.

German pilots also reported their Friday night attack on Swansea, Wales, had started many fires, including four on the waterfront and one on a ship. The British said the fires were extinguished by morning and the

ROOSEVELT AND WILLKIE LIKELY TO MEET TODAY

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be glad to have a personal conference with Willkie—an offer which the latter promptly said would be accepted.

Details of the meeting remained to be arranged, but it was expected that it would be held tomorrow when Willkie comes here to see Hull.

The chief executive directed Secretary Hull to give Willkie, Mr. Roosevelt's Republican foe in last November's presidential election, all information the government has received on conditions abroad and to outline fully to him the reasons behind the government's foreign policy.

Willkie, who has endorsed with reservations the president's lease-lend plan of British aid, will confer with Hull here tomorrow at 3:30 p.m. at the latter's apartment. On Wednesday he will leave for London via clipper and, purely as a private citizen, make a survey of conditions there.

The administration's gesture to Willkie and speculation about the future part he might play in the controversy over aid to Britain overshadowed continued hearings by the House foreign affairs committee on the lease-lend legislation. Word that the Republican nominee would not testify before the committee stirred some resentment, too, among Republicans.

William S. Knudsen, the nation's defense production chief, was today's witness and he, like several cabinet officers, predicted that if England fell war would come to the United States.

Sprawling his long legs in front of the witness chair, Knudsen also told the committee that it would be "the latter part of '41" before this country would be able to supply Britain with much more aid than she is now getting unless "we dip into production for our own armed forces."

"If the president wants to make available more of our own equipment to the British, it's all right with me," he added.

When Knudsen arose and bowed goodbye to the committee after his testimony, an uproar was caused by the announcement of Chairman Bloom, Democrat, New York, that Willkie could not appear because of his impending departure to Europe.

"In view of the declination of Mr. Willkie to appear, I intend to ask that he be subpoenaed," stormed Representative Tinkham, Republican, Massachusetts.

Bloom responded that the committee had no power to subpoena and there the matter dropped, as far as the committee was concerned, but Tinkham told newsmen that his idea was to develop "what competency Mr. Willkie has to advise the American people on foreign policy nearly every morning."

Tinkham, his face flushed around his full beard, added that "I certainly think it's a possibility that Mr. Willkie is going there to England as an emissary of Mr. Roosevelt."

In New York, Willkie laughed when told of Tinkham's desire to subpoena him. He said he was going to England "on my own account, paying my own expenses and representing no one but myself."

As for appearing before the House committee, he said:

"Of course I'd be delighted to appear before the committee but I have to take three shots in the arm for typhus and smallpox—before leaving for Europe Wednesday and with other things I have to do it will be physically impossible to go before the committee before I go."

The president's action with regard to Willkie was made known by Stephen Early, White House press secretary, in the following announcement:

"The president has asked the secretary of state, who has an appointment with Mr. Willkie, to give him all information the government has received on conditions abroad and to outline fully to him policies of this government and the reasons therefor."

Earlier, Hull had told newsmen that he had no information from any source that Great Britain was attempting to have the United States declare war on the axis powers.

His remark related to a statement by Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, last night that he had learned from several "reliable sources" that Prime Minister Winston Churchill had been insisting that the United States declare war on Germany.

WILLKIE WARNS AGAINST ISOLATIONIST PARTY

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie warned his partisans today that the Republican party would sound the death knell of its own hopes to regain national leadership if it blindly opposed the "lease-lend" bill to aid Britain and became an isolationist party.

The erstwhile Republican candidate for president appeared before 1,600 celebrants at the Women's National Republican club annual banquet, at the Hotel Astor, extemporaneously told them that he desired revisions in the bill to limit the president's power, and then asserted:

"But let me say to you that if the Republican party in the year of 1941 makes a blind opposition to this bill and allows itself to be presented to the American people as the isolationist party, it will never again gain control of the American government."

His speech was broadcast over the Mutual Broadcasting system. Willkie appeared as guest of honor at the observance of the 20th anniversary of the club's founding.

Willkie said he did not "presume to speak for all in the party."

"I speak as Wendell Willkie to you fellow Republicans saying what is in my heart and what I think will ultimately bring the Republican party to full power in the American system of the government," he added.

He said this nation could not "remove itself from the world."

"We cannot be indifferent to what happens in Europe," he said as the audience applauded. "We cannot forget the fighting men of Britain. They are defending our liberty as well as theirs. If they are permitted to fail I say to you quite deliberately that I do not believe liberty can survive here. I take issue with all who say we can survive with freedom in a totalitarian world."

MONROE VISITED BY SNOW FLURRY

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peratures while snow and freezing weather shoved far across the Mason-Dixon line last night.

Displacing mild, rainy conditions, freezes moved in across the upper south and frosts were slated to reach down to the Gulf of Mexico from Texas to northwest Florida. Snow flurries were predicted for Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina and Virginia.

A high pressure area, which moved out of Canada and drove the mercury to 5 to 20 degrees below zero in the Dakotas, Minnesota and Nebraska, headed toward the Great Lakes and the Ohio valley. Ahead of it were light snows as far south as Shreveport and Monroe, La., Little Rock, Ark., Greenville and Greenwood, Miss., Memphis and Nashville, Tenn.

Temperatures dropped as much as 45 degrees in the upper Mississippi valley. North Dakota was the coldest spot, the mercury falling to 20 below zero at Fargo and 18 below at Devil's Lake and Bismarck.

Snow was scattered northward from the Tennessee-Arkansas-Oklahoma to the Great Lakes. Snow was mixed with light rains further eastward as the weather continued to moderate as far as New England.

The cold spread over a wide area in the nation's central region, extending from the northern plains and lake area into gulf states.

Light flurries of snow fell on the Twin Cities Saturday for the first time this winter, following a sudden drop in temperature Friday night.

Observers of the Civil Aeronautics authority at Selman Field reported that the snow fell between 5:55 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Saturday. The flurries stopped at 12:05 and snow fell again at 11:05 a.m.

When the snow began CAA attaches observed, the temperature was 38 degrees, and rose to 39 when the last flurries fell at 12:30 Saturday afternoon.

O. JOHN ROGGE IS CRITICIZEI

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four others to serve 30 months in fe eral prison and fined $2,000 on ma fraud convictions in a bond refundi transaction.

The other defendants were Herbe W. Waguespack, former chairman the board's finance committee; Robe J. Newman and Norvin Trent Harri Jr., investment firm partners, ar Henry J. Miller, an accountant.

The government charged they legally split an "exorbitant" fee $496,000 among themselves on a clai of large savings to the levee board f refunding $5,485,000 of bonds of t board.

Answering arguments of defense a torneys that it was impossible for unprejudiced verdict to be obtain because of a "hostile" public a mosphere created by the newspape in the campaign for the coming ele tion, the opinion, written by Jud Samuel H. Sibley, held that the d fendants received a fair trial.

"There was no proof of public tu bulence or violence, or even of publ excitement except among the new papers and politicians," the opinio stated.

"We are unable to say that the di cretion of the presiding judge w abused," it added, pointing out th the judge, Wayne G. Borah, "though an impartial jury could be obtained since he was a resident of New Orlea and familiar with the 'extraordinary conditions prevailing.

Discussing the point of whether t trial judge should have granted a co tinuance, the court said, "We thin too much of what was published now supposed to refer to Shushar but "he was not an office-holder or candidate, and the most of the new paper and other activity was aimed n at him, but at political victory."

Although the court said the "news papers here sometimes went too fa and the "prosecuting attorney ough not to have contributed to what be came an abuse," "newspapers have th right to give the facts about proceed ings in court and to make fair an temperate comment on them."

"The American public understand too well the methods of election pat licity to take too seriously its utter ances," Judge Sibley said. "The court cannot suppose because an election is on and because the cases to be tried may have a political significance."

The opinion was concurred in b Judges Joseph C. Hutcheson and Leo McCord and left the case open for ap peal to the United States supreme court, which already has disposed o the first scandals case to reach it.

That was the case in which Dr James M. Smith, former president o Louisiana State university, Seymou Weiss, hotel executive, and three oth ers were convicted of mail fraud fo the double sale of Bonnville bonds, bu pardoned by L. S. U.

Their convictions were upheld.

MARRIAGES

WELLS-FRANCIS

SICILY ISLAND, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—The marriage of Miss Cla to Lodell Francis of Mer Rouge Wells, January 12, has been an nounced.

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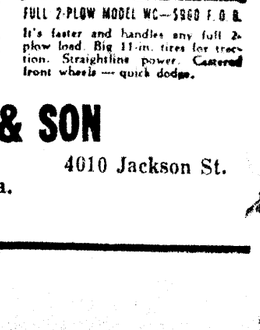

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HIGHER PAY IN STATE WPA TOLD

Top Salary $6,000 And 49 In Louisiana Exceed $3,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Forty-nine administrative employes on the Work Projects administration payroll in Louisiana receive salaries of $3,000 a year or better.

The Louisiana payroll, as of last December 1, made public today by the house appropriations committee, shows the top salary of $6,000 paid State Administrator James H. Crutcher, at New Orleans.

Deputy Administrator Calvin P. Carroll, New Orleans, draws $4,800, as does Norman F. Strachan, state director of operations, while Axel F. Roempke, state director of finance, gets $4,600.

Other salaries (recipients stationed at New Orleans except where noted otherwise) of $3,000 or better follow:

William F. Oakes, state director of employment, $4,400; Alma S. Hammond, state director of professional and service projects, $4,200; John D. Lockwood, assistant state director of operations, $4,000; Ada M. Barker, assistant director of employment, $3,900; Benjamin F. Echelman, state statistician, $3,600.

James W. Calvert, state supervisor of information service, $3,600; Jacob Rauers, assistant director of finance, $3,600; Gerard O. Salassi, Jr., assistant to administrator and state compensation officer, $3,600; Clarence A. Moore, state employment adviser, $3,300; William H. Maddox, state planning engineer, $3,300; Allen D. McCord, field engineer, $3,200; Perry J. Poteet, Jr., office manager, $3,000.

Clarence E. Richard, supervisor of accounting section, $3,000; Albert D. O'Brien, estimating engineer, $3,000; John C. Colgan, field engineer, $3,000; Clarence L. Crowell, field engineer, $3,000; Farrar P. Hamilton, field engineer, $3,000; Herbert M. West, field engineer, $3,000; John F. Turcille, Jr., state safety consultant, $3,000; Marguerite M. Parsons, state supervisor of intake and certification, $3,000.

Allen B. Ward, New Orleans district manager, $4,200; Maurice W. Bushman, acting New Orleans director of operations, $4,000; James L. Morse, district employment officer, $3,800; Richard H. Church, assistant director of operations, $3,600; Antoine R. Rodrigue, district planning engineer, $3,600; Mile H. Johnson, area engineer, $3,000; Pauline S. Gardesey, district supervisor of intake and certification, $3,000; Jefferson L. Smith, area engineer, $3,000.

Clay Jackson, district manager, Baton Rouge, $5,400; John S. Murphy, director operations, Baton Rouge, $5,000.

Charles W. Owens, Lake Charles district manager, $3,400; Lamar Anker, Lake Charles director of operations, $3,000.

L. Paul McDowell, Lafayette, area engineer, $3,000.

Walter F. Craddock, Alexandria district manager, $3,900; Shelley H. Lee, Alexandria director of operations, $3,600; Herbert C. Dugas, Baton Rouge superintendent, $3,600; Ogden D. Carlton, assistant superintendent, Baton Rouge, $3,000; Thomas O. Wells, Baton Rouge assistant superintendent, $3,000; Arthur S. Payne, Baton Rouge assistant superintendent, $3,000; John C. L. Andreassen, state supervisor, $3,600.

John H. Dunham, assistant superintendent, $3,600; Charles A. Ewing, superintendent, $3,600; Allen J. Negrotto, general superintendent, $3,600; Samuel J. Walker, assistant superintendent, $3,000, and Marshall B. Ewing, Hammond superintendent, $3,600.

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DEATHS

MRS. REEVES

JENA, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Meddie Holmes Reeves, 49, who died in a Pineville hospital, January 8, were held January 9 at the Beeck Creek church, with Rev. Fletcher Hart, Tullos, officiating. Interment was in the Beeck Creek cemetery.

Mrs. Reeves, born in Hope, Ark., but a resident of this community for most of her life, is survived by her husband, John Reeves, Olla; two sons, four daughters and three stepdaughters.

FORD RITES

JENA, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for Willie M. Ford, 58, were held January 7 at the Aimwell church. Interment was in the Aimwell cemetery. Mr. Ford, a resident of this community for the past 30 years, is survived by two brothers, G. R. and J. M., both of Olla; and two sisters, Mrs. Monette Andrews, Olla; and Mrs. J. M. Stringer, Temple, Tex.

CUPP FUNERAL

JENA, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for George Washington Cupp, 68, who died at his home Monday were held Tuesday at the Georgetown church, with Rev. Sherwood officiating. Mr. Cupp, a member of the Methodist church at Ursey Chapel, is survived by his widow, two sons, Randolph and Beltha, Springhill, and two daughters, Mrs. Horace Dietzel, Georgetown, and Mrs. Earl Davidson, Rochelle.

MRS. ANNIE RAMSEY

Mrs. Annie Ramsey, 74, well-known Ouachita parish resident, died at the home of a son, Charlie Ramsey, near Drew, Friday at 11 p. m.

The funeral will be held at Chapel Hill church, on the Farmerville road, Sunday at 2 p. m. Rev. A. D. Langston will officiate.

Mrs. Ramsey has lived in Louisiana since she was nine years old, having removed with her parents from Mississippi.

She leaves the following children: Charlie Ramsey, Pat Ramsey, Mrs. Susie Ledbetter, West Monroe; and Homer Ramsey, Ansley. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

CONN FUNERAL

SICILY ISLAND, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for John Conn, 63, Pinehill, who died Wednesday, were held Thursday afternoon at the Pinehill Baptist church, with Rev. A. Lee Brooks officiating. Interment was in Pinehill cemetery.

Mr. Conn, for many years a leader of the Pinehill Baptist church, is survived by his widow, two sons, James and Bobby, two daughters, Mrs. Emmett Slade and Mrs. Eldred Bird, and four by others, Sam and Pink, of Mississippi, and Morris and Young, Vidalia.

HENRY T. PEED

BASTROP, Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for Henry T. Peed, 47, who died suddenly last night from a heart attack, will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Robinson Funeral chapel, with the Rev. H. M. Bennett, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating.

A native of Columbus, Ga., Mr. Peed had resided in Bastrop 18 years and until recently owned and operated a barber shop, which he sold to retire.

Surviving are his widow, one brother, Rosie Peed, New Orleans; two stepsons, John Marchison, Sr., Little Rock, Ark., and William H. Smith, Bastrop.

A member of the Methodist church, he was buried by the local Bacon-McDowell V. F. W. post, assisted by the Monroe V. F. W. post members. Mr. Peed served two years in the World war, 18 months of which was overseas.

MRS. KATE McGUIRE

LAKE PROVIDENCE, Jan. 18.—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Kate McGuire, who died Thursday in St. Louis, Mo., will be held at a requiem mass in St. Patrick's Catholic church Monday at 8 a.m., with the Rev. John Vaudrager officiating.

Mrs. McGuire was the widow of the late John McGuire and returned to St. Louis after his death here in 1912. Her body was returned here for interment beside her husband.

Pallbearers will be M. Farland Long, Stuart Pittman, Joe Hanley, Tom Sullivan, Sidney Guerard, Joe Gross and W. L. Huggins.

INFANT BETHEA

Lucie Penrose Bethea, infant daughter of Willard and Aline Bethea, 2016 Lee avenue, died at a local sanitarium at 10:30 p.m. Saturday.

Funeral services will be held some time Sunday afternoon under direction of the Dixie Funeral Home.

DR. PANKEY IMPROVES

Dr. J. H. Pankey, who was injured last Monday when his automobile turned over at Laurel Hill, was removed from St. Francis Sanitarium Saturday to his home at 109 Filer street.

The University of Edinburgh was founded in 1582 through a charter granted by King James VI of Scotland.

SAYS PRESIDENT IN GOOD HEALTH

Physician States Condition Better Than For Several Years

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The physical condition of President Roosevelt, as he faces four more years in the White House, was described today as "the best in many years."

Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, the president's personal physician and the navy's surgeon general, said that "eight years as chief executive have done nothing to him but make him eight years older."

"One of the grand things about him," McIntire said in an interview, "is that he can relax. Of course, when things blew up in Europe and his telephone was ringing at all hours, no one could relax.

"But in the main, he has the ability to put his troubles aside when he shouldn't carry them with him."

McIntire, who prefers to be called "doctor" rather than "admiral," probably knows more than any other person of the physical and mental strain imposed upon a president. Twice a year he gives Mr. Roosevelt a complete checking over.

"We have just made the latest check," he said, "and the president was in excellent condition. His health is the best in many years. In the past few months he has had very little trouble with colds—less than others around him.

"We are looking ahead to the next four years without any apprehension."

Aside from an attack of intestinal influenza last winter, colds and a sinus condition have supplied the chief concern over Mr. Roosevelt on the part of his physician.

To regular exercise and massages, McIntire attributes the fact that the health of the chief executive is better than it was several years ago.

The president used to swim five times a week in the White House pool. Now, with his 59th birthday approaching on January 30, he follows a somewhat less strenuous routine and takes a dip about three times weekly.

McIntire wants Mr. Roosevelt to weigh 184 to 188 pounds. His weight now is 187½.

In order that his duties will not fall too heavily on him during the next term, McIntire said, "we are going to try to see that he gets some breaks in his schedule."

That sounded like more miles would be added to a travel record which long since has surpassed that of any other president.

ORLEANS PICKED FOR SHIP YARD

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now contemplated would be built here.

Construction of the new facilities here and at six other points will be started with funds allocated by President Roosevelt, left the cargo vessels could be built until congress appropriates funds for them.

The other yards will be at Baltimore, 13 ways; Portland, Ore., and Los Angeles, eight ways each; Houston and Wilmington, N. C., six ways each, and Mobile, four ways.

The New Orleans shipyard will be located on the industrial canal, built some years ago.

Marcel Gatsaud, general manager of the New Orleans dock board, said that group would immediately urge the federal government to appropriate $4,500,000 to deepen the river passes from 35 to 40 feet "which would make possible the handling of the largest ocean-going vessels."

"The board feels," he said, "that this is especially needed now in connection with the defense program because of an expected increase of navy and army transports to call here, and in view of the shipyard."

The Pan American Airways and American Export airlines both have pending applications which would link New Orleans across the Gulf with Central America, Panama, Cuba and Puerto Rico.

The Barksdale highway program would include a new $1,000,000 bridge spanning the Red river at a point approximately at the south end of the army airfield.

The project includes approximately 38 miles of pavement, most of it new roadway and partly double-laned highway. It will involve 9.13 miles inside the airfield reservation and 28.76 miles outside. There will be 34.79 miles new construction and 13.10 miles reconstruction.

The whole project will result in a new arterial highway being constructed from a point just west of the present overpass where United States 80 crosses south over the Texas and Pacific railway, thence along 70th street and 72nd street, running to the south of Broadmoor subdivision to, across the proposed new bridge to Barksdale field.

From there a double-lane highway will connect with United States 80 west of Fosters, from which point United States 80 will be widened into two lanes east into Bossier City.

Another branch of the northern double-lane outlet from Barksdale will involve new road constructing branching off to the east from a point south of Fosters. This highway will parallel along the south side of the Illinois Central railroad leaving the military reservation and cross the Illinois Central tracks at a point west of Haughton, from which the road will jut northeast to United States 80 east of Fillmore.

REQUEST FOR SHIPS WINS QUICK APPROVAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's request for $313,500,000 to finance "emergency" construction of 200 cargo ships won quick approval today of a House appropriations sub-committee, and officials predicted House enactment of the legislation early next week.

Before acting on the measure, the sub-committee heard Chairman Emory S. Land of the maritime commission describe the project as vital to the nation's defense.

Committee members said, however, that Land declined to answer, on the ground that it was out of his jurisdiction, questions as to whether the new ships, to cost a total of $350,000,000, were intended for transfer to Britain or would replace existing ships which might be transferred.

In requesting the funds, President Roosevelt told congress he was "convinced that the national interest demands that immediate steps be taken upon an emergency basis to provide against the effect upon the United States of a possible world shortage of cargo ships."

Mr. Roosevelt said the ships should be suitable for use in the present emergency but of such a type and design as would permit of their "most rapid construction."

Land told the sub-committee the ships would be built at seven points on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts where new building facilities would be installed, and that the program would not conflict with the navy's huge construction program or that which the maritime commission already has underway.

Commission sources indicated the new facilities would be located at Baltimore, Wilmington, N. C., Mobile, Ala., Houston, Tex., New Orleans, Los Angeles, Calif., and Portland, Ore.

Although Land sidestepped questions concerning possible transfer of the ships to Britain, committeemen quoted him as saying cargo ships were among Britain's most urgent needs at this point.

TECH TO BE HOST TO POULTRY MEN

Program For Breeders' School And Show In February Given

RUSTON, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Louisiana Tech's school of agriculture will be host to the North Louisiana Poultry Breeders' School and Show February 27 to March 1 in cooperation with the agricultural extension division of Louisiana State University and the Louisiana Poultry Improvement association.

R. L. Reese, dean of agriculture at Tech, has announced the following program:

Thursday, February 27—8-12 a.m., entering of birds in show; 1:30 p.m., official opening of show; 1:45 to 2:30 p.m., demonstration of selection of breeding stock; 2:30 to 4 p.m., official judging of the show, Clyde Ingram, extension poultryman, L. S. U.

Friday, February 28—8-10 a.m., completion of judging; 10-10:15 a.m., recess for refreshments; 10:15-11 a.m., "Feeding Hens to Make Them Lay," Professor C. W. Upp, L. S. U.; 11-12 a.m., demonstration of candling and grading eggs, O. E. Goff, L. S. U.; 2-2:45 p.m., "Value of Using Pedigreed Males for Improving Louisiana Poultry Flocks," Dr. Upp; 2:45-4:15 p.m., "Progress in Poultry Improvement Work in Louisiana," Mr. Ingram; 6 p.m., Poultry Growers' banquet of barbecued chicken, in charge of John H. Birdsong, president of the Louisiana Poultry Improvement Association, with an address on "Farm Organizations, Their Value and Importance," by Milton C. Tanner, executive secretary of the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation; 7:30-8:30 p.m., motion picture, "Poultry, a Billion Dollar Industry."

Saturday, March 1, 8-10 a.m., round table discussion of poultry management problems, led by Ingram and Upp; 10-10:15, recess; 10:15-11 a.m., "Practical Low Priced Poultry Houses," Mr. Goff; 11-12 a.m., round table discussion on improving poultry in north Louisiana, with special emphasis on feeding problems, J. A. Sheely, Ruston, parish agent, and C. L. Flowers, parish agent.

STUDY OF SCHOOL SYSTEM REQUESTED

ALEXANDRIA, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Board members of the Louisiana Parent-Teacher association in session here today unanimously adopted a resolution urging Governor Sam H. Jones to appoint a commission "of men and women of outstanding ability and integrity" to study the Louisiana public school system.

The resolution, presented by Mrs. E. A. Fowler of New Orleans, said that "almost one year of the reform administration in Louisiana has passed and apparently no steps have been taken to study the public school system, as authorized by act of the legislature, and as promised in campaign speeches by both Governor Jones and Superintendent John E. Coxe."

"According to the act creating it," the resolution pointed out, "This commission must report to the legislature in 1942 and, unless used, the money appropriated for this study must revert to the general fund."

"The importance of the proposed survey to the educational and economic future of the state demands that the maximum amount of money be spent on this study," the resolution continued.

The resolution proposes that the commission be appointed by Governor Jones and that it, in turn, "select a qualified director so that this important study of the public school system may be begun immediately."

THREE ARRESTED IN LOUISIANA DEATHS

HAMMOND, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Three men arrested in Houston, Tex., were being removed to Louisiana today for investigation in connection with a series of slayings in the strawberry belt extending over a period of 18 months.

One of them, Eugene Johnson, 23, was formally charged with murder in connection with the beating to death of a wealthy Hungarian farmer, Steven Bench, at Albany, La., last November 23.

The other two men, implicated in a series of slayings which aroused the Louisiana strawberry belt, were delivered to Sheriff P. R. Erwin of Livingston parish along with Johnson after being traced to a house last night in Houston.

Johnson was one of two suspects in the slaying and robbing of Bench of between $8,000 and $10,000. The other suspect, Eddie Garrett, negro, was shot and killed by a Hammond officer, Dick Cutrer, member of a posse who flushed Garrett and fired on him at a wooded clump the day after the slaying.

Before he was shot Garrett tossed $2,600 in bills into a field.

Searching Garrett's house, near that of the retired farmer, officers found a $100 bill and $2,500 in government savings bonds stuffed in a stove.

Other killings under investigation by the Louisiana officers were those of Henry Schaefer, a truck farmer found clubbed to death near Independence in July, 1939; Phillip Shenks, beaten and robbed near Denham Springs, and Miss Julia Bergman, 60-year-old dairywoman, who was bludgeoned to death in her cow lot a week before the killing of Bench.

COTTON ACREAGE TO BE CUT MORE

Supplementary Program For Voluntary Reduction Announced

A supplementary cotton program for voluntary reduction of cotton acreage below the 1941 national acreage allotment has been announced by the department of agriculture, according to I. E. Lucas, Ouachita parish administrative agent for the AAA. Farmers interested are advised to contact Mr. Lucas or D. L. Bornman, Jr., parish agricultural agent.

The new program is planned to increase consumption of cotton goods by compensating cotton farmers for their additional acreage reduction with cotton stamps which may be used to purchase cotton goods. Mr. Lucas stated. It will be accompanied, he said, by an intensive campaign to encourage improved living standards through more gardens and food and feed production for home consumption.

Mr. Lucas emphasized that this voluntary program does not in any way change the basic conservation and parity programs already in effect under the AAA.

The supplementary program is being undertaken primarily because the export markets have been shut off by the war and to reduce further accumulation of government stocks now amounting to nearly twelve million bales, according to the administrative assistant.

The program, which applies to the 1941 cotton crop, will be carried out by the Agricultural Adjustment administration and the Surplus Marketing administration. The AAA will administer the program in states and parishes, and the SMA will provide and redeem up to twenty-five million dollars' worth of cotton stamps which farmers will receive for their voluntary reductions. Farmers will receive stamps for planting less than their 1941 allotments or their 1940 measured acreage, whichever is lower, at the rate of 10 cents a pound times the normal yield of the underplanted acreage, up to $25 per family in the case of sharecroppers, tenants and owner-operators. Owners of more than one farm or of a farm operated by more than one tenant may qualify for up to $50 worth of the stamps, based upon their share of the crop.

Any farmer, whether he receives cotton stamps or not, will be permitted to reduce plantings by any amount in 1941 and still receive full conservation and parity payments, and such underplantings will not affect his cotton allotment in 1942 and subsequent years, Mr. Lucas explained. In addition to the reduction for which farmers may receive stamps, it is expected that as much additional acreage may also be taken out of production because of this provision, he observed. The supplemental plan gives farmers an opportunity to help improve the whole cotton situation, but it does not reduce the cotton acreage allotment in subsequent years. It is also an aid to soil conservation. The land the farmers take out of cotton will be available for planting to soil-conserving and food and feed crops, according to the administrative agent.

Cotton stamps which farmers will receive as compensation for participating in this program will be good for the purchases of cotton goods. The stamps will be identical with the stamps now used under the cotton stamp plan already in operation under the direction of the Surplus Marketing administration. The same general regulations which govern the use of the stamps under the cotton stamp plan will govern the use of the special cotton stamps issued to farmers under the new program. They will be exchanged at retail stores for any cotton goods made entirely of cotton, grown and manufactured in the United States.

Something like 15 cents of the cotton stamp dollar spent at retail goes back to the cotton farmer directly and most of the remaining 85 cents goes to employ labor, directly and indirectly, Mr. Lucas observed. This reemployment aspect of the cotton stamp use was said to be one of its major advantages. It means that not only farmers, but also labor, business and consumers profit from the operation of the program.

Regulations for the administration of the program by the AAA are being drafted. As to details of the operation as they will affect cotton farmers Mr. Lucas said:

"For planting less than the acreage allotment in 1941 or the measured acreage of 1940, whichever is less, stamps will be issued at the rate of 10 cents a pound times the normal yield of the sharecroppers, tenants and owner-operators. Owners of farms operated by one or more tenants may qualify for a maximum of $50 worth of stamps. Where a landlord received one-fourth of the crop, he is eligible to receive one-half of the stamps but not to exceed $50 worth of stamps."

The agricultural extension service will carry on an intensive educational program in order that cotton producers may obtain the greatest benefits under the program, Mr. Lucas stated.

SNAGGED RED-HANDED

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Four youths, between 13 and 15, took the saying, "paint the town red" too seriously. They were lodged in the detention home charged with stealing a window cleaner's spray gun and using it with bright red paint on six store and home fronts.

PRATT ILL

Sidney H. Pratt, United States internal revenue agent here, 3809 Harrison street, was taken to Riverside Sanitarium Saturday where attending physicians said he was suffering from acute nephritis, an inflammation of the kidneys.

MRS. J. S. LEE TO HEAD GIRLS' HOME

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. J. S. Lee of Alexandria today was appointed superintendent of the home for delinquent girls at Pineville, succeeding Mrs. J. L. Averitt. Mrs. Averitt had been superintendent about 12 years.

Institutions Director J. E. Snee said Mrs. Lee would take office January 24.

A native of Bordelonville, she attended Louisiana State Normal college and Louisiana State university and has been active in such girls' organizations as Camp Fire girls, Girl Scouts and Order of Rainbow.

Snee also announced appointment of Mrs. Lorraine Lorch of New Orleans as superintendent of the Confederate Veterans' home there. She succeeds Mrs. Carrie R. Hall, a cousin of former Governor Richard W. Leche.

ACCUSED DRAFT EVADER DEFIANT

Heller Says He Still Would Not Register If He Had Chance

SHREVEPORT, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Fred J. Helier, 26, of New Orleans, remained defiant here today after he was given a hearing on a charge of failing to register for the selective draft last October 16.

Heller, who was remanded to jail in default of $1,500 bail set by James Van Hook, United States commissioner, declared that he still did not wish to register and indicated he had no regrets over having failed to do so.

"Would you register now if you had a chance?" he was asked after the hearing.

"No. I would be paying for it the rest of my life," he replied.

Deputy Sheriff Prentiss Hough of Webster parish, who arrested Heller for freight train riding at Minden, testified that the man was defiant in his attitude. He said that he asked Heller if he wished to register and that he replied, "Why should I? I don't want to fight."

Heller admitted, Hough said, that he was in jail at Jackson, Miss., on October 16, but did not register. He said that he did not wish to register that day.

A. E. Hacking, F. B. I. agent, testified that Heller had admitted he had not registered.

Heller declined to testify in his own behalf, but discussed the case after the hearing. He said that he formerly was a CCC enrollee but was "kicked out of that."

"Did you have a chance to register?" he was asked.

"I could if I had wanted to," he replied.

Heller was held on a fugitive warrant issued at Jackson by federal authorities. An order for his removal to Jackson will probably be issued by Federal Judge Ben C. Dawkins, Commissioner Van Hook said.

Heller gave his address at New Orleans as 1028 Jackson street.

WAGNER ACT CLAUSE LEFT TO CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The war department, informed persons said today, has decided that the question of whether or not firms accused of violating the Wagner act should be denied defense contracts, is a matter for congress.

Consequently, it was said, the department will not write into its contracts a requirement that contractors comply with the labor relations statute unless it receives specific instructions to this effect from congress.

Sidney Hillman, labor leader and associate director of the new office managing defense production, tried in vain recently to have such a clause placed in two contracts with the Ford Motor company.

War department officials said they still had under study the question of whether departmental contracts generally should include labor provisions in addition to those now incorporated, which require compliance with the Walsh-Healey public contracts act and with legislation against the use of convict labor.

The Walsh-Healey and convict labor clauses are included in contracts at the direction of congress. The legislators, however, have never directed that the labor relations law be mentioned in the agreements.

NEARLY 65 VISIT BABY BEEF CATTLE

Nearly 65 persons visited baby beef cattle throughout the parish recently on a specially conducted tour sponsored by the Ouachita Parish Agricultural Extension service.

Among those who made the tour are D. L. Bornman, Jr., county agent; H. B. Fairchild, assistant county agent; Miss Elizabeth Whatley, assistant Home Demonstration agent; W. T. Cobb, beef cattle specialist, Louisiana State university; C. W. Davis, district agent; T. H. Milliken, Morehouse parish agent; Burton Berry, assistant agent in Morehouse parish; G. D. Cain, Richland parish agent; Bennet Boughton, assistant agent in Richland parish; C. W. Kennedy, assistant agent in Union parish, representatives of the Northeast Louisiana Livestock show, representatives from Delhi, and several agricultural students.

The group visited calves owned by Elaine Willis, Eureka; Joe and Sonny Dixon, Sterlington; Aubrey Calloway, Bosco; John Landrum, Fondale, and Everett Zeagler, Colony.

The calves are being groomed to be shown at the livestock show at Delhi, March 26, 27, and 28, and also the Louisiana State show at Baton Rouge, April 1-5.

AMATEUR RADIO MEET PROPOSED

Big Convention Planned For Monroe During Month Of May

At a meeting of the Ouachita Valley Amateur Radio club at Northeast Junior College, Thursday night, E. S. Wells, convention committee representative for Monroe, announced that definite plans have been formulated to hold the American Radio Relay League's delta division convention in Monroe, May 24 to 25.

The league, a national radio organization with headquarters in Hartford, Conn., promotes interest in and publicizes the amateur radio fraternity, which in the United States alone numbers more than 55,000 operators.

The delta division includes Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi. It is expected that possibly 1,200 radio amateurs will attend the sessions held in Monroe.

Charles Kelly, general manager of the Hodge Paper Mill, and general chairman of the convention committee, has been working in close cooperation with representatives from amateur radio groups in Shreveport, Hodge, Ruston, Alexandria and Monroe, stated Mr. Wells.

The convention will be the first of its kind to be held in Monroe.

CLEAN REGULATIONS

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND—(AP)—The R. A. F. is careful about its cooks. Chefs in its camps line up daily for "fingernail inspection" before going to work.

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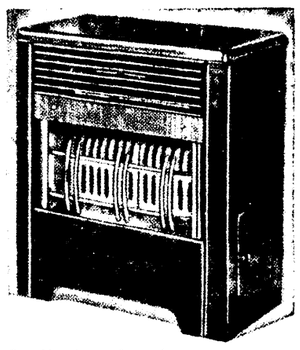

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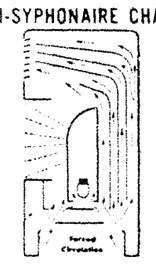

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BIG LEAGUERS HURRY TO SIGN CONTRACTS

USUAL HOLDOUTS AMONG EARLIEST COMERS IN RUSH

Provisions Covering Drafting Of Players Into Army Included

By Judson Bailey

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Maybe the magnates are getting more liberal, or maybe the players are getting more pacific, but for some reason there is an almost unprecedented rush in the big leagues to get those 1941 contracts signed.

This is about the time of the year when the clubs ordinarily are just putting their documents into the mails, but the Chicago White Sox already have all but two of their roster under lock and key and other outfits are moving along with similar speed.

One of the most surprising phases of this early signing is that the usual holdouts are among the early comers.

Frankie Hayes, the slugging catcher of the Philadelphia Athletics who carried his unsigned contract right with him to camp at Anaheim, Calif., last spring, climbed onto the bandwagon the other day. It was reported he received a substantial raise, along with Teammate Wally Moses.

Eddie Miller, the young shortstop of the Boston Bees who stubbornly refused to come to terms last year until spring training was underway, signed quietly last month, also with a boost.

Shortstop Billy Myers, who was a late signer with the Cincinnati Reds a year ago, joined the list of contented Chicago Cubs last week and most of the other players who figured in the off-season trading in the big leagues have been quick to sign with their new teams. This covers Infielder Stu Martin of the Pittsburgh Pirates, who was a slow signer for the St. Louis Cardinals.

Even Jerome Herman (Dizzy) Dean was quick to see the handwriting on the wall and copied it right onto a Cub contract for a reported $10,000, the same as last year.

There were rumors out of Boston that lanky Ted Williams, the Red Sox slugging outfielder, would be difficult to deal with, but Williams came forth with a hasty denial of any holdout intentions. Lou Finney, who was a late one a year ago and had the kind of a season that might have given him big ideas, signed at the close of the '40 season along with Dominic DiMaggio and Bobby Doerr.

In fact the only players who have publicly admitted dissatisfaction so far have been the Reds' Ernie Lombardi and Charley Root and Rookie Clyde McCullough of the Chicago Cubs. Lombardi returned the first contract offered, asking for the restoration of part of the $6,000 pay cut he took last season. Root and the Cubs' officials failed to get together during a discussion this week while McCullough, a young catcher, wants $7,500 instead of the $6,000 offered because of his good season last year with Rochester in the International league.

All contracts carry provisions covering the drafting of players into the army. The player is taken off the club's active list and placed on a special military service list at no pay. The contracts provide that the club is allowed adequate time to make room for him before restoring him to the active list at the completion of army service.

VOLS NIP KENTUCKY IN FIERCE CONTEST

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cheered on by 2,800 frenzied fans, Tennessee's flu-weakened Volunteers whipped a game Kentucky team here tonight, 32 to 22, in the fiercest basketball game ever seen in the university gymnasium.

Playing without their regular guards, Gilbert Huffman and Paul Herman, the Volunteers staged a great last-half rally to upset their traditional rivals who bumped them out of the Southeastern Conference tournament last March in an overtime scrap.

The game developed into a last-half rough-and-tumble melee with the Tennesseans showing more scoring punch under the basket.

The teams opened the game cautiously and at the half-time the score was deadlocked 15-15.

Then the fireworks began. The Vols ran up a 24 to 15 lead before Kentucky's Ermal Allen tossed in a long shot. But the 'Cats couldn't overcome the advantage with the Vols driving in the crip shots.

Tennessee's shifting man-to-man defense kept Kentucky trying for long shots that wouldn't connect. Rarely did the visitors get under the basket and when they did, the Vol guards were swarming over them.

Tennessee used only six men and the lone reserve was in the contest less than a minute to carry information from Coach Johnny Mauer.

APPEASEMENT SECOND

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Outdoing more favored candidates, Mrs. Vera S. Bragg's entry cleaned up in the $10,000 Santa Susana stakes at Santa Anita park today, Cute Trick winning and Transient taking show money.

Appeasement was second.

POISON HOCKEY STICKS

SOUTH BRITAIN, Conn., Jan. 18.—(AP)—It's easy to identify the boys who have been playing hockey at the Purchase School. They cut hockey sticks from a clump of sumac and now the group, to a man, has sumac poisoning.

BORROW ON CAR

OR HAVE PAYMENTS REDUCED

Nothing due until January. Old, reliable firm. See Motors Securities advertisement on page 12.

Most Valuable Tribe Gridder To Be Named Wednesday

NEVILLE BOXERS MEET LAFAYETTE HERE ON FRIDAY

Brown Has Several Promising Youngsters To Replace Veterans Lost

The 1941 boxing season opens in Monroe next Friday night when the strong Lafayette Lions invade the den of the Neville High School Tigers for a ten-bout card that is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock.

Although the Bengals took a 6 1-2 to 3 1-2 beating at the hands of the LaGrange scrappers at Lake Charles last Friday night, Coach Percy Brown has several promising mittmen to replace the 1940 stars lost by graduation. The novices looked good against LaGrange, according to reports, and are expected to give the veteran Lafayette team some interesting fights.

With the exception of the veteran Burton LaHaye, stellar 126-pounder, the Lions will have practically the same team they had in 1940.

Neville battlers beat the Lions in their last four engagements, twice in 1939 and twice last year, but Lafayette may turn the tables on them here Friday. Neither had LaGrange been able to whip the locals in two years until the past week.

The best looking Bengal novices are Bill Dyer, 145; John Luffey, 155; and Johnny Poulas, 112.

Dyer put up a whale of a fight against Clarence Thibodeaux, LaGrange's 126-pound state champion last year. Thibodeaux won the decision, but it was a moral victory for the Bengal who was making his ring debut. Thibodeaux is a veteran of five years and has been a state tourney point winner since 1938.

Luffey shows good prospects, and although he won his first fight, beating Pearce of LaGrange, he still can find room for improvement.

Johnny Poulas may never get to be as good as the late Ed Gill, Neville's hard hitting 112-pounder of 1933, or Milo Mattinson of 1934, or State Champion Tom King of 1936, but at the rate he's going he should be a threat to any of the present 112-pounders by mid-season. Neville's former stars of the class had a few years' experience under their belts before reaching the 112-pound class, while Poulas entered the ring for the first time as a Bengal regular last Friday, losing a close decision to W. Giovanni.

G. Luffey, 90; Salvadore Danna, 98; Sylvian Wiggins, 105; Aubrey Young, 118; Jack Gallien, 126; Harold Cornett, 135; and Louis Ladart, 165, round out the team. Only G. Luffey is without previous experience.

LIONS TO INVADE BASTROP FRIDAY

Ouachita Cagers Will Try To Stretch Present Winning Streak

With hopes of keeping intact their current string of victories, the Ouachita Parish High school Lions will invade Bastrop Friday night for a return engagement with Coach "Dutch" Binion's Ram basketball team. The engagement is the only one on tap for the Lions this week as they will be faced with mid-term examinations until Friday.

Coach Leo Hartman's charges walloped the Rams 37 to 17, here Friday night with a withering attack that gave the Lions a 20 to 1 lead for the first half's work.

But the taller Bastrop aggregation, apparently solving the Ouachita attack and finding the range with its own siege guns, battled the Lions on even terms throughout the last half.

The Rams' last half performance was enough to convince the Lions they may have a difficult battle on their hands Friday. A large delegation of Ouachita fans is planning to follow the Lions on the trip.

Coach Hartman's present aggregation looks like the best he has turned out for some time and the lineup of Junior Mears, "Cotton" Hall, Bob Kilpatrick, Malcolm Stone and Henry Hazlitt hasn't been beaten this season.

Of course Ouachita lost four games early in the season, but that was before the return of Hall, veteran of the 1939-40 team, and Douglas Hinton, the latter as good as any of the first five.

Hall and Hinton, recovering from football injuries, were unable to play until shortly before the Christmas holidays. But since the holidays, with Hall and Hinton in top shape, the Lions have bowled over every opponent, including the strong Ansley Trojans who beat them earlier in the season.

The Lions have chalked up 13 victories in their 17 appearances, and right now the Hartman crew would make top flight tournament contenders.

TULANE SWEEPS SERIES WITH OLE MISS CAGERS

UNIVERSITY, Miss., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Tulane turned on the power tonight to sweep a two-game series from University of Mississippi, taking the final game, 32 to 27. The Greenies overwhelmed the Rebels last night, 48-23.

Guard Cy Carbon and Forward John McGee set a hot first-half pace that gave Tulane a 23-to-10 edge at intermission. Trailing, 18 to 29, with seven minutes left, the Rebels' Terrell connected with three field goals and a free throw. He led the scoring with 15 points.

SIX TEAMS MAY JOIN CITY LOOP

Possibility of six teams entering the proposed City Basketball League was expressed last night by W. C. Royce, local cage enthusiast, who said another meeting of basketball players and team sponsors would be held Monday night to iron out any kinks that are delaying opening of the league's season.

Four teams were practically assured last week, but Royce, president of the former Ouachita Valley cage circuit, said last night that it was probable that two others would be represented at the Monday meeting. The Monroe recreation department is attempting to organize the loop with the aid of Royce, Carey Phillips, Leo Hartman, A. S. Huffman, and "Peanuts" Hudnall.

INDIANS DEFEAT MAGNOLIA, 58-55

Junior College Cagers Come From Behind In Last Minute To Win

MAGNOLIA, Ark., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Staging an eight-point rally in the last minute of play to take the lead for the first time, the Northeast Junior College cagers of Monroe, La., nosed out the Magnolia A. and M. aggregation, 58 to 55, here tonight. The Indian victory broke a seven-game winning streak for the locals.

Easley, sensational Magnolia forward, led the scoring with ten field goals and two foul shots for 22 points, but he was removed from the game for excessive fouling late in the last quarter, and the Tribesmen took charge soon after his departure.

Carl Guinn, little junior college forward, was runnerup for high score with eight field goals and a free toss for 17 points.

Coach Jim Malone's invaders made it a close battle all the way, but Magnolia managed to keep the lead until the last minute. The locals were out in front, 29 to 23, at the half.

The Indians closed in on the locals in the third quarter and gained a 35-35 deadlock, but couldn't take charge. Magnolia pulled ahead once more and held a varying lead of not more than four points until the last minute when both Magnolia forwards had fouled out, and two Tribesmen, Cecil Guinn and Pete Cosper, had also gone out for fouling.

With only a minute to play and Magnolia leading, 55 to 50, the Redskins looped four field goals, two of them by Ed Ochoa, substitute forward. Carl Guinn and John Nicosia tossed the other two goals in the deciding minute of play.

Magnolia A. and M. will be in Monroe next Friday night for a return engagement with the Indians. Magnolia had been beaten once once before tonight. They lost their season opener to Centenary.

The box score:

Northeast	FG	FT	PF	TP
Cecil Guinn, f	2	0	4	4
Carl Guinn, f	8	1	2	17
Nicosia, c	2	4	0	8
Cosper, c	3	2	4	8
Lively, g	2	2	2	6
Manichia, g	4	3	0	11
White, g	0	0	0	0
Ochoa, f	2	0	0	4
Swanger, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	12	12	58
Magnolia	**FG**	**FT**	**PF**	**TP**
Easley, f	10	2	4	22
McMahen, f	1	2	4	4
Hurst, c	0	0	0	0
Beck, c	3	2	3	8
Mashaw, g	1	2	0	4
Wooten, g	5	0	2	10
Dingler, f	2	3	1	7
Totals	22	11	14	55

S. E. C. TO REPORT ON SCHOLARSHIPS

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Athletic scholarships and player recruiting methods were under scrutiny of the executive committee of the Southeastern conference here today in a meeting with Mike Conner, conference athletic commissioner.

The meeting was called to work out definite rules on both problems.

Conner said he hoped to have "fixed rules" to cover conference football activities for announcement "sometime later."

Dr. Richard C. Foster, president of the University of Alabama and of the Southeastern conference, presided over the session here.

CAGE SCORES

Army 30; Brown 19.
Wisconsin 40; Michigan 30.
Arkansas 58; Texas A. and M. 36.
Northeast Junior college 58; Magnolia A. and M. 55.
Ohio State 44; Duquesne 33.
Mercer 57; Presbyterian 48.
Michigan State 44; West Virginia 35.
The Citadel 46; Wofford 41.
North Carolina State 74; Howard 49.
Duke 45; Clemson 42.
New York University 53; North Carolina 49.
Georgia Tech 55; Vanderbilt 48.
Notre Dame 53; Pennsylvania 37.
Rochester 33; Syracuse 32.
Dartmouth 36; Cornell 33.
Stetson 43; Florida Southern 30.
Tennessee 32; Kentucky 22.
Auburn 46; Spring Till 34.
Columbia 40; Yale 38 (overtime).
Vermont 25; Middlebury 24.
Boston University 45; Williams 40.
Virginia 37; Washington and Lee 28.
Tulane 32; Ole Miss 27.

L. S. U. MENTOR GUEST SPEAKER AT DINNER HERE

Northeast Junior College Squad To Be Honored By Y's Men's Club

Northeast Junior College football players will be honor guests of the Y's Men's Club of Monroe at a banquet to be given Wednesday night at 6:30 o'clock at Hotel Frances.

Bernie Moore, head coach at Louisiana State University, will be here as the chief guest speaker along with Vernon "Lefty" Haynes, head coach at Louisiana College, and Coach Harry Turpin of Louisiana State Normal College.

Indian gridders, Y's men and their guests will be treated with a showing of the L. S. U.-Tulane 1940 football game during the course of the banquet. Coach Moore will handle the explanatory duties in connection with the showing of the picture.

The banquet will be the occasion for the annual awards bestowed on the Tribe's outstanding performers of the past season.

Lettermen for 1940 will be recognized, the captain of the 1941 team will be named, the R. and A. Jewelry Company will present its annual award to the Tribe's most valuable player, Peacock's Jewelry Company will make awards to 1940's best lineman and outstanding back, the Paramount News trophy will be presented to the Indian chosen by opposing teams for his performances, and the Guaranty Income Life Insurance Company's award will be made to the player adjudged as the best trainer.

The most valuable player award is most coveted of the annual trophies and in the past six years has been claimed by backfield performers with the exception of 1938, when a lineman took the trophy.

Most valuable players since the award was first given in 1934 have been as follows:

1934, Frankie Bono, Lake Charles, back; 1935, Charlie Lemak, Duquesne, Pa., back; 1936, Bob Kellogg, Wynn, Ark., back; 1937, Bob Kellogg; 1938, Leon Apgar, Monroe, end; 1939, Max Hutchins, Blythesville, Ark., back.

1940—?

Bono is now in business in Lake Charles.

Lemak, who later played football at L. S. U., was employed here until recently when he entered the state employment bureau at New Orleans.

Kellogg, after winding up his collegiate footballing at Tulane, has continued his gridiron career as a professional. He played with the Chicago pro team for a while and is now connected with the New York Giants.

Leon Apgar, Monroe's best offer to the Tribe, concluded his football career at Centenary and is now preparing to enter the service of the United States as a flying cadet.

Hutchins is a student at Hardin-Simmons and, with Guy Bryson, also a star performer for the locals in 1939, sparked the Texas team to an undefeated season last year.

The 1941 schedule for the local institution will also be announced Wednesday, Coach James L. Malone said.

The banquet is open to supporters of the junior college and its football team, but reservations must be made before Wednesday night. Reservations should be made with M. G. Merklin at Sig Haas and Sons.

HENDERSON STATE DOWNS CENTENARY

ARKADELPHIA, Ark., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Led by Dead-Shot Emmett Parham, the Henderson State Teachers College basketeers routed the Centenary Gentlemen from Shreveport, 47 to 31, here tonight.

Henderson took the lead before the game was two minutes old and was never headed, leading at halftime, 26 to 15. Parham poured eight field goals and two free throws through the wicker to take high point honors with 18. Guard Joe Kearney scored 13 for Henderson.

Centenary's Eddie Murphy spiked Henderson's big gun, Center Don Byrn, holding him to eight points with a stellar defensive performance but his mates couldn't stop the other teachers.

All-Mid-South Football Team For 1940 Selected By Spencer

Sterlington Expert Announces Fifth Annual High School Choices

5 STATES REPRESENTED BY PREP GRID PLAYERS

Two Louisiana Stars Included On List Of Outstanding Performers

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. B. E. Spencer of Sterlington is a close follower of football. Through personal observation and close contact with coaches and players he selects an all-Mid-South high school team each season. Perhaps no man in the South or Southwest keeps in closer touch with high school football than he. Hence his selections are authoritative.)

By B. E. Spencer

The fifth annual All-Mid-South high school football team, composed of players from prep schools of Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee and Texas is presented with great pleasure after much work and deliberation.

The selection covering thousands of Class A regulars from El Peso, Tex., to Kingsport, Tenn., is made up of two players each from Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee and Arkansas and three from Texas.

Jesuit of New Orleans, La., and Amarillo, Tex., produced two of the greatest high school football teams this selection has ever covered. Both went through undefeated and untied and both gained the championship of their state. Fourteen teams, including the best of Texas and Oklahoma, were left in the wake of the Golden Sandstorm.

This might be out of place but I would like to cast one vote for a shorter playing season in high schools and absolutely condemn night football in November and December. Money can be the only reason that fans and players alike are subjected to football during winter nights.

With pardonable pride I will call your attention to a few of the boys who were given to you as stars in previous All-Mid-South selections. Robert Suffridge and Johnny Butler of the University of Tennessee, McDowell and Bruce of Mississippi State, Kinard, Dodson, and Hovius of Ole Miss.; Dodson, Goree, Barrett, and Lipkis of L. S. U.; Thomas, Hayes and Dufour of Tulane; Brumley and Goforth of Rice; Pugh, Spivey, Jeffrey and Thomason of Texas A. and M.; Hickey of Arkansas; Gude and Peebles of Vanderbilt; Kutner, Hawthorne and Daniels of Texas.

In making this all-star selection I will attempt to pick seven linesmen and four backs as a team. Yes, you think that is unusual. Yes, and you know that what is known as the All-Southern football squad from my five states was made up of fourteen backs and six linemen. The tackles had no chance because none was picked.

The ends were selected from the following: North, Castle Heights, Tenn.; Harry Sayle, Memphis; Charles Caldwell, Knoxville, Tenn.; Marvin Richter, Columbia Military academy, Louisiana presented Newman of Ponchatoula, Limont of Jesuit, Charleston of Istrouma, Terranova and Harmon of Lake Charles; Mississippi had Bramlett of Clarksdale, Henry of Meridian and Thornton of McComb; Arkansas offered Forsythe of Pine Bluff, Morgan of Little Rock and Bender of North Little Rock. From Tex., Wooten of Amarillo; Hardt of Temple; Rogers of Arlington Heights; White of Paris, Kelley of Jeff Davis and Zoch of Port Arthur were the best.

North of Castle Heights, and Wooten of Amarillo were chosen for first team. North is one of the few to repeat on this selection. He is a strapping giant—6 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 185 lbs. Exceptionally fast for a big man, he was used at wing back as well as at end. North is considered the best high school lineman in Tennessee since Suffridge departed. Wooten played outstanding ball for Amarillo over a long schedule and was always best when the chips were down. Dub, a long rangy boy, turned the high school finals of Texas from a dangerously close game to a rout by intercepting a pass on his own fifteen-yard line and running 85 yards for a touchdown when Temple was threatening to tie the score and win

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All-Mid-South High School Team

Pos.	Name	School	Weight	Year
L. E.	John North	Castle Heights, Tenn.	185	Senior
L. T.	Bo Coppedge	Blytheville, Ark.	210	Junior
L. G.	Hunter Webb	Meridian, Miss.	180	Senior
C.	Eldred Rogers	Fordyce, Ark.	180	Junior
R. G.	Odell Rigdon	Haynesville, La.	190	Senior
R. T.	Jim Warner	Amarillo, Tex.	214	Junior
R. E.	Dub Wooten	Amarillo, Tex.	175	Senior
Q. B.	Charlie Conerly	Clarksdale, Miss.	170	Senior
L. H.	O. J. Key	New Orleans, La.	193	Senior
R. H.	Eddie Prokop	Chattanooga, Tenn.	185	Senior
F. B.	Leete Jackson	Lubbock, Tex.	185	Senior

Second Team	Pos.	Third Team
Bramlett, Clarksdale, Miss.	LE	Morgan, Little Rock, Ark.
Coulter, Fort Worth, Tex.	LT	Chenault, Columbus, Miss.
Neumann, Port Arthur, Tex.	LG	Kelly, Montgomery-Bell, Tenn.
Connolly, Laurel, Miss.	C	Davis, Knoxville, Tenn.
Woody, Forrest City, Ark.	RG	Tigart, Amarillo, Tex.
Hartley, Columbia, Tenn.	RT	Attaway, Temple, Tex.
Hardt, Temple, Tex.	RE	Newman, Ponchatoula, La.
Greathouse, Amarillo, Tex.	QB	Dark, Lake Charles, La.
Jones, Austin, Tex.	LH	Britt, Meridian, Miss.
De Shazo, Castle Heights, Tenn.	RH	Dusek, Temple, Tex.
Di Bartolo, New Orleans, La.	FB	Bowen, Greenville, Miss.

It's Not The League, It's The Pitching, Says Danny

MacFayden Warming Up For Senators By Swinging A Golf Club

ORLANDO, Fla., Jan. 18.—(AP)—It may seem like heresy but Danny MacFayden, long of the major leagues, says the only difference between leagues is the pitching—and so he's warming up for the Washington Senators by swinging a golf club.

Lots of the boys play golf for fun but MacFayden is making serious business of it, and no sooner had he and the missus arrived here from Boston than the veteran hurler snatched out his clubs and started whacking away.

"Golf and lots of it," he said. "Eighteen holes every day. That's the main item on my menu until about the middle of February when I'll start throwing 'em around. And by the time the rest of the boys get here I hope I'm ready to open up."

MacFayden, who put in 14 years in both leagues since he stepped out of a prep school uniform at Hebron, Maine, and into an American League one in 1926, will keep a residence with his wife until the Senators go north from their spring training camp here.

He started with the Boston Red Sox and liked them so well he spent six years in the club; then two with the Yankees; four with the Boston Bees, a year with Pittsburgh and two months with Cincinnati.

He likes the American League, says "those American League boys are the toughest batters. They really lay into every pitch. The only difference in the leagues is pitching anyway."

It's been six years since Danny pitched in the American League and he feels sort of like a stranger, especially among the rookies he'll help train, but he isn't taking any chances. He's out to work and work hard, counting on his best assets—good control and a sharp-breaking curve.

Danny is no spring chicken but he still likes to look down the line-up and see:

"MacFayden, p."

BOBBY HOOKS NAMED MENTOR AT MERCER

MACON, Ga., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The job of head coach at Mercer university belonged to Bobby Hooks of Valdosta today.

Hooks, 33, married and father of a three-year-old daughter, comes to Mercer from Valdosta High. He was a football star during his days at the University of Georgia.

He succeeds Lake F. Russell, who resigned after 12 years at Mercer as coach and director of athletics.

Hooks takes over at Mercer at a time when football is to be "de-emphasized" and scholarship awards for athletics are to be reduced.

While no definite salary or terms were revealed, it was indicated Hooks' salary would be "upon the same basis as that of professors." They range up to $2,700 a year.

During the past season at Valdosta High, Hooks turned out a football team that won the state class "B" championship.

LEE AND JACKSON WILL BE HONORED

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The south begins in earnest tomorrow its annual observance of the birthdays of two illustrious heroes of the War Between the States—General Robert E. Lee and General Thomas Donathan (Stonewall) Jackson.

A nationwide audience will hear Dr Douglas S. Freeman, biographer of Lee and editor of the Richmond, Va., News-Leader, speak Sunday from the capital of the Confederacy at 11:45 a.m., eastern standard time. His 15-minute address, "Robert E. Lee as a Counsellor on National Defense," will be broadcast over the Blue network of the National Broadcasting company. Dr. Freeman, a close student of military affairs, is chairman of the Virginia defense counsel.

The birthday anniversary of Lee, January 19, and that of Jackson, January 21, are customarily celebrated jointly in the south. Many ceremonies have been held during the past three days in some states.

OUACHITA GIRLS WIN TOURNAMENT

Ogden High School Boys Come Through In First Annual Columbia Meet

COLUMBIA, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—The strong Ouachita Parish High school girls of Monroe and the Ogden High school boys won the first annual Columbia High school basketball tournament here tonight.

The Ouachita girls, who have been defeated only once in five years, defeated Grayson High school's sextet, 42 to 24, in the finals tonight. Mrs. Elizabeth Manheim, coach of the victorious team, coached Grayson to a state championship before going to Monroe about seven years ago.

The Ogden boys routed Epps, 27 to 17, to win in their division of the meet.

Ouachita reached the finals with a 44-to-8 victory over Columbia's sextet this morning, while Grayson advanced with a semi-final victory over Larbon, 44 to 24. Larbon won the girls' consolation game, 35 to 32, over Columbia.

Ogden defeated Winnsboro, 30 to 26, in a boys' semi-final this afternoon, and Epps beat Columbia, 28 to 15. Columbia won a 28-to-22 victory over Winnsboro in the boys' consolation battle tonight.

DENTIST IS 'ANGEL' FOR GOLF TOURNEY

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A divot digging dentist will substitute for Mayor Robert S. Maestri as "angel" of the New Orleans open golf tournament next month—but the prize money has been cut from $10,000 to $5,000 and spectators will have to pay a fee for the first time.

The wealthy mayor, once a leader in the old Huey P. Long political organization which was topped from power in 1940, for the past three years personally put up the money for the $10,000 event, specifying that fans be allowed to witness the competition free.

He recently withdrew as sponsor and now Dr. Herbert H. Meyer, a golf minded dentist, has forwarded his personal check for $5,000 to the professional golfers association to guarantee the meeting February 14, 15 and 16. The spectator fee was set at $1.75. Dr. Meyer will be reimbursed if enough money is realized.

Bob Feller Soon Will Be Highest Salaried Hurler

Cleveland Ace Will Probably Get Approximately $30,000 In '41

By Larry Hauck

CLEVELAND, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Bob Feller, a veteran at 22, is on his way to becoming the highest paid pitcher in baseball history with a 1941 salary of approximately $30,000.

Final contract negotiations and possible conscription are the only hurdles standing between the Cleveland Indians' fireballer and the record.

Feller's high draft number virtually rules out the possibility he will join the army this year. The hurler is 2,857th in a Cleveland district with 3,814 registrants. If 10 per cent of the registrants are accepted for service and the district is called upon to supply 30 draftees a month, Bob will not be summoned for at least 10 months. And 10 per cent is a conservative figure—a larger proportion of those ahead of Feller likely will be accepted.

"Feller certainly will not be called this year unless dire circumstances develop," a draft official said today.

Feller will fly here Tuesday from Van Meter, Ia., to negotiate his 1941 contract with President Alva Bradley and Vice-President C. C. Slapnicke. He will be armed with his impressive 1940 record of 27 victories.

The Indians do not announce players' salaries, but well-informed sources place Feller's 1940 pay at $26,000 or more. He is certain to get an increase and most observers believe the final figure will be at least $30,000.

Baseball circles generally accept the $27,500 once paid Lefty Grove by the Boston Red Sox as the highest salary ever given a pitcher. Babe Ruth's $80,000 from the New York Yankees, received when he was playing the outfield, was tops for all players.

Even if Feller doesn't enter the army this year he will be doing something for Uncle Sam—

The income tax on $30,000 for an unmarried person without dependents is $6,063.20.

LOUISIANA CAGE LOOP QUIET FOR WEEK OF EXAMS

Weekly Dish For Conference Followers Contains Only Two Games

PINEVILLE, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—Exams this week for most of the Louisiana Intercollegiate conference schools make for a very light basketball schedule in the Louisiana loop, as the cage squads take time out for semester tests.

The weekly dish for Louisiana intercollegiate conference followers contains only two games, with Louisiana State Normal a participant in both of them against conference opponents. The Demons, who do not stand examinations until next week, go on the road to play Centenary in Shreveport Tuesday night, and Friday night the Demons entertain the Louisiana college Wildcats in Natchitoches.

The Gent-Demon clash in Shreveport Tuesday night should be a hot one. In their first week of conference play the Gentlemen won two and lost one while Normal was idle. The Gents' first victory was over Louisiana college, after which they split two games with Louisiana Tech. The basketball shooting match between Normal's flashy Cummings and rearpole "Josh" Briley, and Centenary's Jowers and Penny should prove colorful. This game will not count in the title chase.

Although Louisiana college lost its three conference games the first week, the Wildcats have improved rapidly as they have been able to use their gym for practice and with added experience for the two sophomores on their first team, Langley and Barron, the Cats will be troublesome. The Normal-Louisiana college clash will count in the race for the L. I. C. crown, and will complete the week's light schedule.

The other conference teams, Southwestern of Lafayette, Southeastern of Hammond, and Louisiana Tech of Ruston are idle.

ACE PARKER VOTED NATIONAL LEAGUE'S VALUABLE GRIDDER

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Clarence McKay Parker, Brooklyn quarterback and 1936 All-America star at Duke, was voted today as the national football league's "most valuable" player of the 1940 season.

Parker, "Ace" to millions of football fans, is the same young man who declared early last fall that his pro football career was ended. This statement came shortly after he had broken an ankle while playing shortstop for the Syracuse club of the International League.

But later the brilliant triple-threater changed his mind, donned a bothersome protective brace and began what turned out to be the greatest season he ever had on any gridiron, college or professional. He was the spark of a fine Dodger eleven turned out by Jock Sutherland in his first year as coach.

Parker polled 18 of a possible 40 first place votes and seven second place ballots, giving him a total of 118 points, more than double the number of the runner-up, Sammy Baugh, of Washington.

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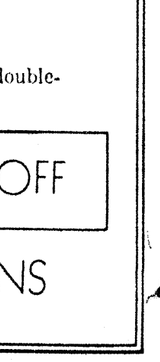

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2ND HEAVYWEIGHT CARD SET FOR TUESDAY

BABE ZAHARIAS, DILLON TANGLE IN MAIN EVENT

Ellis Bashara And Cecil McGill Will Meet In Supporting Match

Babe Zaharias, 243-pound Colorado grappler, who defeated Al Lovelock in the main event on last week's heavyweight wrestling program, will meet Jack Dillon, 240, of Atlanta, Ga., here Tuesday night in the Monroe arena in the feature match on Promoter Gus Kallio's second heavyweight card.

Promoter Kallio presented his first program with the big boys last week after two years of parading light heavyweights before Monroe fans, and the program was so successful that he announced yesterday he would continue to bring heavyweights here as long as they were satisfactory to his customers.

The largest crowd to turn out for a wrestling event here in years was on hand last week and another big attendance is expected Tuesday.

Supporting the Zaharias-Dillon feature will be the semi-final between Ellis Bashara, rough Shreveport heavy, and Cecil McGill of the famed Wrestling McGills of Omaha, Neb. Bashara was the semi-final winner over Dick Lever last week. McGill, a cousin of Jack and Pat McGill, well known Nebraska wrestlers, is making his first appearance here.

Zaharias, who proved quite rough and a difficult man to handle as far as Lovelock was concerned, anticipates having his hands full when he tangles with Dillon.

Dillon, a disciple of the punishing head lock as applied by Strangler Lewis, stands six-feet-one and is widely heralded as "the pride of Joy" of Georgia. Marshall Blackstock, who has wrestled both Dillon and Strangler Lewis, claims Dillon's head lock is just as punishing as the Srtangler's.

Zaharias employs a wide variety of tricks, some of them on the shady side, but he is a good showman as well and that's what the fans like.

Bashara made his first return appearance here in more than three years and proved to be the same old Bashara, as rough and tough as ever. He won in straight falls from Lever, but may have more trouble with McGill, who is six feet tall and weighs 219 pounds. Bashara will tip the beams at 230 pounds.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Eddie Brietz

NEW YORK, Jan. 18—The American league film proves Dick Bartell wasn't the goat of the last game of the world's series any more than you were. . . . Just watch Jimmie Kitts (who was let out at Rice a year ago) bob up with a new head coaching job this fall—or sooner. . . . Also, here's a name you don't want to forget—a Michigan sophomore back named Ufer. . . . They say he really has what it takes. . . . Clark Shaughnessy is going to reveal the secrets of his "T" formations at summer schools because he's going to ditch it after next season—when Frankie Albert and Kmetovic graduate.

PAGING DIOGENES

It is always refreshing to run into such a delightfully frank citizen as Mr. Tom (and the angels sang) Gallery, the Los Angeles promoter . . . He says: "We are not trying to fool anybody into believing the Louis-Godoy fight will be the best in history." . . . Blow out that lantern, pop.

THIS SCREWY WORLD

Lightweight Champ Lew Jenkins bought a $5,000 Florida home, then went out for a stroll . . . Two days later he turned up in Sweetwater, Tex. . . . Yep, Mrs. Lew is simply furious . . . Both Boston college and Villanova have scheduled Auburn for the same afternoon next fall . . . Is Jack Meagher planning to send out A and B teams? . . . Here's the boxing pay-off: Dick Demaray signed to fight the main event for Promoter Karl Ogren out at Duluth in return for a grey mare and a colt. Demaray is a farmer and needs horses. Ogren operates a summer resort and wants to get rid of some. . . . The four Thoma brothers of Peoria, Ill., have held five American Bowling Congress championships.

NEW DRIVING CHAMP

Nomination for the longest drive in golf: The 6,000-mile grind of Ed Oliver who drove from California to Delaware to report for the draft, found he was on the deferred list and now is driving right back again.

BUSY MAN'S NEWSPAPER

Reason the Dodgers shipped Banks McFadden to Pittsburgh was the fancy salary he drew down last year. . . . Old Jim Thorpe will tell the inside story of his memorable Olympic heave-ho on the "Sports Newsreel of the Air" tomorrow night . . . If the Giants try to send Bob Seeds to Jersey City, he'll ask to be released so he can double as outfielder and manager of his Amarillo, Tex., club. . . . The south has just about adopted Frank Leahy of Boston college. He's been invited to join the faculty of a coaching school at Daytona Beach and to speak before the Atlanta Touchdown club. . . . Irving Jaffee, undefeated Olympic and world speed skating champ, previewed his new movie short, "Ice Capers," to friends yesterday. Plenty good.

WELL, WELL

The Oakland open golf tournament proved Beer is better than Champagne when Harold Beer wound up two strokes ahead of Denny Champagne.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

B. M. Atkinson, Jr., Louisville Times: "Whoever wins the war, you can bet the New York boxing commission won't recognize them."

New York merchants estimate 15 per cent of all Christmas gifts are exchanged. Women's items go back almost three times as often as men's.

Fritzie Zivic Proves Right To Rule Welterweights

REVOLTA, COOPER MEET IN FINALS OF FRISCO PLAY

Johnny And Harry Play Brilliant Golf To Come Through Saturday

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Little Harry Cooper, one of the boys from the "two-step era" defeated another old timer, Jimmy Thomson of Chicopee, Mass., 2 up today in the featured match of the $5,000 San Francisco match play open golf tournament.

They battled par on even terms for the first nine, each carding a 36 for the Presidio Golf club course. Cooper took a one up lead at the 13th, sinking a six foot putt for a birdie two. It was a 125-yard hole.

The next four holes were halved, each taking a bogey five on the 15th, and Cooper shot a perfect par four to win the 429-yard 18th. Thomson, one of the longest hitters in the game, was in the trap on his second.

Cooper carded a 36-35—71, one under par, against Thomson's 36-37—73.

Cooper, veteran Chicago pro, was runner-up in 1935, and the man he defeated, Thomson, was runner-up in 1932.

Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., kept up his steady par pace to defeat Tony Penna, Dayton, O., 3 and 1.

Revolta and Penna were all square at the ninth, each carding a par 36. Penna took a one-up lead with a birdie 3 on the tenth. He dropped a 15-foot putt for the win.

Revolta squared the match on the 402-yard twelfth with a par four. His rival three-putted on the green. Revolta took a one-up lead on the 15th with a ten foot putt. Penna was in trouble and overshot the green on his third. The match was closed out on the 17th when Revolta carded a par four, which was conceded when Penna's first two shots were pulled to the left. He finally landed on the green in three but Revolta was within ten feet of the pin and Penna conceded the hole.

The cards:

Revolta out	5	4	3 4 4 5—36
Penna out	4	5	3 3 4 5—36 (seven)
Revolta in	4	4	3 4 4x (3 and 1)
Penna in	3	4	5 4 5x

Revolta had a tough match with Penna but for one of the rare occasions, was on the fairway from tee to green through the round.

The finals tomorrow will bring together Revolta and Cooper, old time rivals. Cooper has won 35 major tournaments, and Revolta has taken top money in more than 15.

Play tomorrow will be over 36 holes.

'ALL-MID-SOUTH' PREP '11' NAMED

(Continued from Eighth Page)

the game on penetration. Newman of Pontchatoula, was a great end on a small high school team.

Bo Coppedge of Blytheville, Ark., and Jim Warner of Amarillo, won the tackle berths. Both towns have supplied several stars for this selection in former years. Jim was 214 pounds of concentrated dynamite. He was a terror on offense and defense all season. He isn't very tall and he has another year at Amarillo despite his poundage and the 18 year age limit in Texas. Coppedge is a 6 foot 210 pounder, and extremely fast for his size and able to generate a little fire when needed. Other star tackles include Coulter of Masonic Home, Ft. Worth; Hartley of Columbia Military Academy, Tenn.; Chenault of Columbia, Miss.; Attaway of Temple, Tex.; Heard of Hayesville; Sam McInnis of Ouachita parish, Monroe; and Arwood of Ripley, Tenn.

Hunter Webb of Meridian, Miss., was in a class by himself at guard. He weighs 180 pounds and is 5 feet 11 inches tall. He is a superb blocker and his uncanny diagnosing of enemy plays allows him to make far more tackles than is customary even for a star performer.

Rigdon of Haynesville was awarded the other first string position. Odell has been consistently great for two years now—having made all-state two years in a row. It is extremely difficult to block him out of a play and on offense he is rank poison. Rigdon weighs in at 190 pounds. Other excellent guards include the following from Arkansas: Woody of Forest City; Newton of Hot Springs and Fitzgobbons of Little Rock; from Texas, Tigart and Moss of Amarillo; Neumann of Port Arthur, Brown of Corpus Christi, Magie of Robstown; Knetsar of Reagan. Louisiana offered Shaw of Lake Charles, Brennan of Jesuit; Chaplain of St. Aloysius, and Boucher of Holy Cross; Mississippi had Webster of Clarksdale and Shores of Jackson. Tennessee offered Kelly of Montgomery-Bell; Earles of Kingsport; and Kelsey of Johnson City.

The centers are definitely not up to the caliber of a year ago when fellows like Mumford, Rice, Godwin and Baldwin were around. Eldred Rogers of Fordyce, Ark., was given first team slot after a year of fine football. He was the strongest link in the Fordyce line and very accurate in his passing. His blocking was of the highest order. Red Connolly of Laurel, Miss., is another high class center who played for keeps until he broke his hand. Paul Davis of Knoxville, Tenn., was given third team rating for his outstanding defensive work. Other fine centers include Schultz, Holy Cross, New Orleans, La.; Kirsch of Jesuit, New Orleans; Green of Amarillo; Prewitt of Corsicana, Tex., and Kavoras of Corpus Christi, Tex.

The backfield of Charlie Conerly, Clarksdale, Miss., Oliver Key, Jesuit of New Orleans, Eddie Prokop of Chattanooga Baylor, and Leete Jackson of Lubbock, Tex., is a dream backfield of rare potentialities. The quarterback selection offered the greatest problem and narrowed down to Charlie Conerly and Myrle Greathouse of Amarillo, Tex. Greathouse was without a doubt the better blocker and a grand defensive back. In fact he was so good on defense that he always made the opponent's star ball carrier look bad. In spite of all his qualifications he was given runner-up position to thumbing Charlie Conerly of Clarksdale, Miss. Conerly did everything but lead the band. This 170 pound 6 footer was a one man offense. He could pass accurately on the run as well as standing still. He could slash at tackle or circle the ends. Charlie excelled at blocking and was superb on defense. Alvin Dark of Lake Charles, La., was another fine quarterback. This slim speedster was known especially for his passing ability. Leonard Farley, fine field general of Jesuit, deserves high praise for his signal calling, vicious blocking and high scholastic standing. He is a straight A student.

There was no argument about left halfback. Oliver Joseph Key of Jesuit in New Orleans was out in front a country mile. This six foot two inch, 193 pound lad had plenty of praise from sports writers. He has been called the greatest high school football star in America by more than one astute observer. Key did all the punting and passing and a large part of the running for his team. Being able to run the hundred in less than ten seconds did not detract from his effectiveness.

Raymond Jones of Austin, Tex., was regarded as the best triple-threat back developed in South Texas in many years. Jennings Anderson of Brackenridge of San Antonio, Tex., was another. Other fine backs include Raymond Pence of Haynesville, La.; Barney Welch of Stephenville, Tex.; Steve Leibue of Jeff Davis in Houston, Tex.; Jack Bishop of Memphis Tech; Monk Mosley of Blytheville, Ark.; Bud Daughtery of Jonesboro, Ark.; R. C. Britt of Meridian, Miss., and Doug Kenna of Jackson, Miss.

Eddie Prokop of Chattanooga Baylor was awarded right halfback position. Eddie has 185 pounds beautifully proportioned on a 5 foot 11 inch frame. He scored 119 points to set a Chattanooga record. That will attest to his running prowess. He was brilliant at punting and passing also. Since his defensive work was letter perfect there was nothing to do but declare Eddie the best back in Tennessee. Other fine backs include De Shazo of Castle Heights Military Academy, Tenn.; Dusek of Temple, Tex.; Tyndall, Lake Charles, La.; Dugan, Hot Springs, Ark.; and Gordy Brown, Masonic Home, Ft. Worth, Tex.

After much deliberation the fullback spot was given to Leete Jackson of Lubbock, Tex. Leete was good enough to make the Texas all-state last year and he was even better this year but he did not get into the playoff and therefore was not given the consideration that automatically goes to the playoff boys. Jackson is a six footer and weighs 185 pounds. He carries the ball with the best of them and there isn't a deadlier punter in high school football.

Di Bartolo of Jesuit in New Orleans, La., was a mighty fine fullback and he is only a junior. His bucking, blocking and defensive work was of the highest order. Other star fullbacks include Bowen of Greenville, Miss.; Marshall of Little Rock, Ark.; Lloyd of Blytheville, Ark.; Payne of Amarillo, Tex.; Don Frambrough, Longview, Tex.; Jack Osborne, Johnson City, Tenn.

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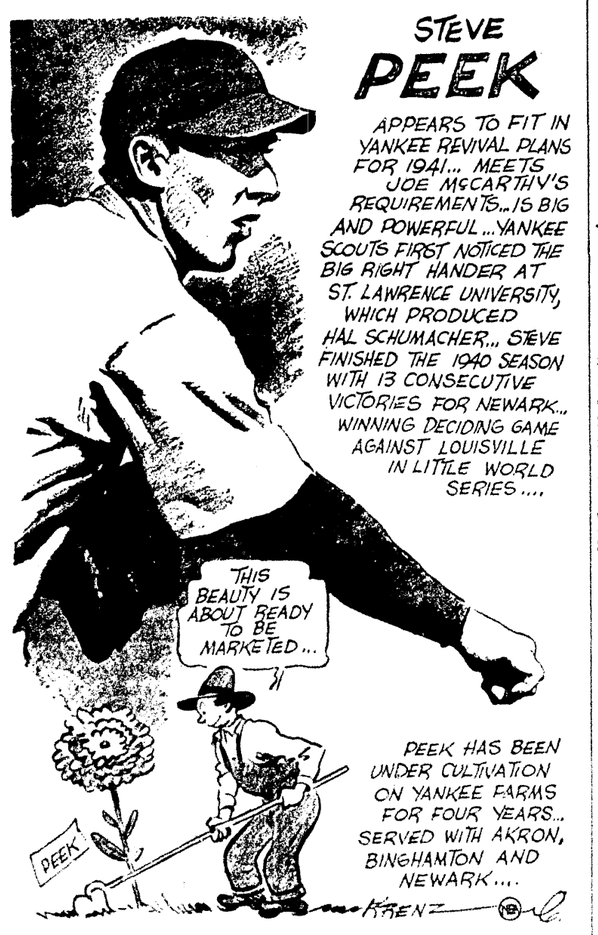
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Leahy Says He'll Stick By Five-Man Line Again

Boston College Coach Considering Offer To Coach Detroit Lions

By Romney Wheeler

ATLANTA, Jan. 18.—(AP)—You may see plenty of pigskin shenanigans next fall, with linemen lugging the ball, but as for Coach Frank Leahy of Boston college, he'll take the old defensive standby—a five-man line.

Leahy, considering an offer to coach the Detroit Lions in the National Professional football league, said here new intercollegiate rule changes would have little or no effect on defensive play.

Recently Coach William Alexander of Georgia Tech, a member of the rules committee, speculated the change permitting forward handing of the ball to any player who would allow centers, guards and tackles to be used in deceptive plays.

"Most trick plays that do any real damage go wide," said the amiable gentleman from Boston. "I think, if anything, the rule change will strengthen use of the five-man line on defense. That gives you defensive backs out beyond the offensive ends to check any sweeps, and leaves other players close enough to move in quickly if the play goes through the middle."

What about the quarterback returning the ball to the center after a snap-back, or thrusting it between the legs of a guard?

"That might be tried," acknowledged the coach of 1941's Sugar Bowl champions, "but I doubt that it would upset your five-man defense. At the most I would say it might cause your linemen to check for a split-second longer before moving with the play."

Leahy, here for the mid-winter jamboree of the Atlanta Touchdown club, arranged to head for New York today and indicated he would go thence to Detroit for a conference with officials of the Detroit club. He described the Lions' coaching offer as "under consideration," but declined to disclose its terms.

Unofficial sources hinted that Detroit has proposed a five-year contract at $8,000 annually, with additional provision for a cut in gate receipts in excess of a certain figure. Leahy also was reported unofficially to have an unsigned contract from Boston college calling for a five-year tenure at $7,200 annually.

The Touchdown club named Robert Lee Suffridge, University of Tennessee All-America guard, as the outstanding player of the recently-ended football year.

O. B. Keeler, Atlanta Journal sports writer and chairman of the club's trophy committee, presented a trophy to Suffridge at the club's dinner last night.

There were some 500 members and guests, who saw motion pictures of the Sugar and Orange Bowl games.

Speakers included Wallace Butts, University of Georgia coach, Leachy, and Major Bill Britton, assistant Tennessee coach.

JENKINS VS. AMBERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Promoter Mike Jacobs today announced a ten-round non-title fight between lightweight champion Lew Jenkins and former lightweight king Lou Ambers in Madison Square Garden February 21.

Jenkins knocked out Ambers in three rounds last May 10 to win the 135-pound crown.

WOMEN'S PRIVILEGE

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Charles Morton noticed a sartorially impeccable woman running after a shabbily dressed man. Thinking perhaps the man had stolen her purse, Morton dashed up in time to hear the woman say, "I've changed my mind. Yes, I will give you a nickel for a cup of coffee."

TAKES VACATION BEFORE SIGNING FOR NEXT BOUT

Jacobs Is Planning Return Go Between Fritz And Jenkins Soon

By Sid Feder

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The fight mob said "so long" to gallant little Henry Armstrong today as his conqueror, Welterweight King Fritzie Zivic, left for a Florida vacation before picking up his fistic trade again, probably against Lightweight Champion Lew Jenkins in March.

At the same time, a thorough search of the records disclosed that the crowd of 23,190 fans who packed Madison Square Garden like a gigantic sardine can last night to watch Henry being cut down in 12 rounds by Zivic's knifing punches, not only was greater than ever before a Garden fight, but was the largest turnout ever for any event in the big sports arena.

The previous high for a professional fight was marked by the 21,712 who saw Jimmy McLarnin outpoint Ray Miller in 1929. Tony Canzoneri and Al Singer fought before 21,617 before that and, since then, Primo Carnera and Big Boy Federsen attracted 21,171. A "Golden Gloves" amateur show once drew 22,000.

There was no change of mind about Henry's retirement today as Promoter Mike Jacobs sent him a $16,530 paycheck as his share of the gross gate of $78,242.46 and the net of $66,817.01. His personal physician, Dr. Alexander Schiff, looked over the great little fighting man's eyes again and reported that until the swelling goes down, he would be unable to take the necessary stitches in the wounds they sufferced last night. In a week or so, Henry will visit his home in Los Angeles, and then will return to take up a business career either in wine or whiskey. Financially, the only fighter ever to hold three championships simultaneously is comfortably fixed, with annuities estimated at $90,000 from the approximately $350,000 he has earned in the ring.

Zivic, meantime, picked up $19,836.60 for his successful defense of the welterweight championship, and left with Promoter Mike Jacobs and Lightheavyweight Titlist Billy Conn for a stay in Florida. He was nursing a swollen left hand, a memento received when he bounced a punch off Henry's head last night.

In a week or two he'll come back to look over the field for future work. Jacobs is planning on a return go in late March between Zivic and Jenkins, who signed today for a February 21 overweight match with ex-Lightweight Champion Lou Ambers. Jenkins and Zivic went 10 rounds to a draw a month ago.

There was also talk Zivic may see action against Mike Kaplan in Boston and Red Cochrane either in Newark or Elizabeth, N. J., but these were still strictly in the talking stage.

BIG BILL SEINSOTH ACQUIRED BY PELS

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Acquisition of "Big Bill" Seinsoth, southpaw pitcher who won 16 games and lost ten last year for Columbus of the South Atlantic League, was announced today by the New Orleans Pelicans.

Seinsoth, who weighs 210 pounds and stands 6 feet 3 inches, is only 22 years old but has been in professional baseball five years. Mike Martynik, who had only fair success pitching for the Pels last year, goes to the Georgia city in the trade.

JOE MEDWICK RESIGNS AS SCHOOL INSTRUCTOR

SARASOTA, Fla., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Joe Medwick said tonight he had resigned as an instructor in Joe Stripp's baseball school so as not to run any injury risk before "my first spring training in three or four years."

Stripp said earlier in Orlando that the high-priced left fielder had quit on advice of doctors, but Medwick asserted he merely wished to relax and gradually get into shape for the training grind.

Gerald Walker, former Washington outfielder traded to Cleveland six weeks ago, replaced Medwick on Stripp's school staff.

JUST DISAPPEARS

OXFORD, O.—(AP)—Advertisement in the Miami university's "Student": "Lost: The entirety of my college education in the form of a blue loose-leaf note book. Reward—$1." Readers wondered if higher learning wasn't getting cheaper these days.

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TALLULAH BOXERS BEAT CHAMPIONS

TALLULAH, La., Jan. 18.—(Special)—The Tallulah High school boxers won a 6 to 5 victory over the Canton, Miss., scrappers, defending Mississippi champions, at Canton last night.

Gerald Sargent, Trojan 126-pounder, won the feature bout on the card with a three-round decision over Eddie Edwards, Mississippi state 126-pound champion.

R. J. Cox, Tallulah, scored the only knockout on the program by stopping Edgar Stone in the second round of the 135-pound battle.

The summary:

75 pounds—Jimmy Pruett, Tallulah, decisioned Willie Pittman.

80 pounds—Cecil Johnson, Canton, defeated Bill Jones.

90 pounds—Glenn Skulley, Canton, beat Billy Keller.

98 pounds—Jimmie Stone, Canton, and Gene Van Zelfden drew.

105 pounds—Benny Pruett, Tallulah, beat Douglas Case.

112 pounds—J. O. Pemberton, Tallulah, beat Clyde Magee.

118 pounds—A. G. Speake, Canton, decisioned Bob Rippy.

118 pounds—Ben Stribbling, Canton, and Aubrey Floyd drew.

126 pounds—Sargent, Tallulah, outpointed Edwards.

135 pounds—R. J. Cox, Tallulah, knocked out Edgar Stone, second round.

165 pounds—Mason Frasier, Canton, beat Philip Lochbrunner.

MRS. PILSBURY DISMISSED

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—State Labor Director A. P. Harvey announced dismissal, effective January 31, of Mrs. Edward Pilsbury of New Orleans as head of the labor department's women and children division. Mrs. Pilsbury is president of the women's group of the Old Regular political organization of New Orleans. A successor has not yet been named.

NOT FUNNY

LONDON—(AP)—Flippant remarks about Germany's plans for invasion bring heavy penalties in the Netherlands. The Hague correspondent of Vrij Nederland reports.

VETERANS SHINE IN TRACK MEET

Venzke, Beccali, McClusky Win Races In Metropolitan Event

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Gene Venzke seemed little the worse for the wear and tear of 16 seasons of running tonight as he won the Metropolitan A. A. U. 1,000-yard title in the meet record time of 2 minutes 14.2 seconds.

The New York A. C. veteran paced himself nicely moving into the lead with two laps to go and finishing with room to spare over Walter Carey of Fordham and Joe Zeitler, former Manhattan star, who were both in rompers when Gene started racing. Gene's performance over the fast nine-lap track of the New York Coliseum won him a terrific hand from the crowd of 4,500, itself constituting one of the night's numerous meet records.

Another old-timer representing the New York A. C., Luigi Beccali, tied the meet record for the mile run in beating last year's winner, Andy Neidnig of Manhattan, and Jim Rafferty of the New York A. C. in a blanket finish. The time was 4:16.6, not sensational as big-time miles go, but the victory may earn Beccali, Olympic 1,500-meter champion in 1932, a bid for the Wanamaker Mile at Madison Square Garden February 1.

The veterans kept marching. In the three-mile run it was Joe McClusky, 29-year-old former Fordham runner, who has won more track titles than any other man, who showed a clean pair of heels to a lot of younger bloods. Joe lapped the entire field in clipping 23 seconds off the meet record with a time of 14 minutes 34 seconds. Eino Pentti, his New York A. C. teammate, was second.

BAN DOGS ON DARK TRAMS

LONDON—(AP)—Passengers have been forbidden to take dogs on London trams and buses in blackout hours.

67 HIGH SCHOOLS INVITED TO PLAY IN CAGE TOURNEY

Northeast Junior College Tournament Scheduled For Feb. 7-8

Sixty-seven high schools throughout northeast Louisiana have been invited to participate in the fifth annual Northeast Junior college basketball tournament for boys and girls, according to an announcement by A. S. Huffman, director of physical education for men at the local institution.

The tournament is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, February 7 and 8. Huffman will be in charge of the boys' division of the meet, while Miss Ada Bess Hart, director of physical education for women, will direct play in the girl's division.

The tournament has grown each year and many of the best teams in Louisiana have participated.

The defending tourney champions, who are expected to participate again, are the Ansley High school Trojans in the boys' division, and the strong Trout-Good Pine High school girls.

The Ansley Trojans have been tourney champions for the past two years. Collinston High school won the boys' division in the first meet in 1937, and the Delhi Bears won in 1938.

In the girls' division, Castor High school and Ouachita of Monroe were co-champions of the first tourney, having battled to a deadlock in the finals. Ouachita ruled supreme the next two years, but lost in the finals last winter to Trout-Good Pine.

The junior college athletic committee, headed by Chairman E. J. Brown, will make the tourney drawings early in the week of the event. High school coaches are being urged to get their entries in as early as possible.

The Women's Athletic association and the Men's Physical Education club, college organization, will assist Huffman and Miss Hart in running off the event.

Loving cups will be awarded teams finishing first, second and third in both divisions of the tourney.

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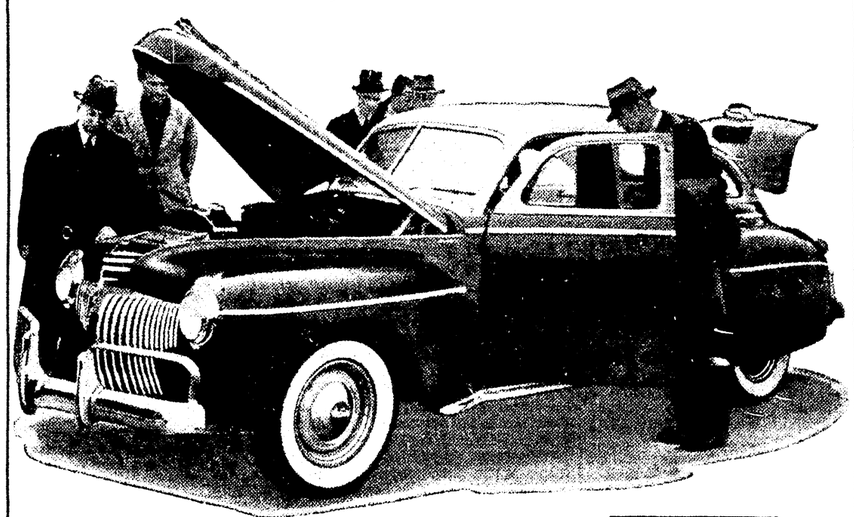
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JUNIOR CHAMBER SPONSORS SAFETY

'Secret Eye' Group Will Make Reports On Law Violations

In order to make citizens of the Twin Cities "safety conscious," the Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a Safety Week program to be held Monday through Saturday.

Wrecked cars will be placed in the middle of each block, caskets will be displayed on downtown sidewalks, Boy Scouts will be placed at strategic points to observe possible traffic violators, and all junior chamber members will form a "secret safety eye" group, who will report law violators to the chamber office. The offenders will receive courteous letters from the chamber office.

Sponsored by the traffic committee of the junior chamber, citizens of the Twin Cities are urged next week positively to observe all stop signs, refrain from rushing red lights, observe the speed limit, refrain from fast driving, and familiarize themselves with traffic regulations.

Secretary George D. Holland said Saturday that "traffic violations are frequently caused not by unscrupulous or intentional criminals, but by careless citizens.

"In 1940 seven persons were killed within the corporate limits of Monroe and two in West Monroe. Seventy-four in Monroe and 13 in West Monroe required hospitalization.

"An effective safety program will save lives, injury to citizens, and prevent property damage and save insurance premiums.

"In addition to prevention of loss of life and destruction of property, a new safety complex on the part of Monroe and West Monroe citizens will result in a lowered insurance premium in public liability and property damage insurance."

The wrecked cars on display will carry such slogans as "Driver of This Car Failed to Stay Inside the Center Line," or "Driver Lost His Life and Caused This Wreck by Running a Stop Sign." Caskets will be captioned, "Seven Monroe Citizens Were Killed in Traffic Accidents Last Year. Drive Carefully," or "Unless We Drive Carefully, Some Little Monroe Boy or Girl Will Be in This Casket Before Christmas."

Questionnaires Mailed

Board No. 1

926, Thomas Romerson, colored, general delivery, Monroe.

927, Robert Sidney Thompson, 410 Stone avenue, Monroe.

928, Maxwell Hard Major, 604 Grammont street, Monroe.

929, Charlie Brian Rainwater, 907 South Second street, Monroe.

930, Willie Edwin Regan, Jr., 1507 Spencer avenue, Monroe.

931, Joseph Loudd, colored, 1112 Washington street, Monroe.

932, John A. Warren, colored, general delivery, Monroe.

933, George Johnson, colored, 809 Adams street, Monroe.

934, Maurice Byron Bayne, 1505 Forsythe avenue, Monroe.

935, Samuel Tucker, colored, 205 Magnolia street, Monroe.

936, West Malone, Jr., colored, 1701 Adams street, Monroe.

937, Charles Glenn Harris, 209 Plum street, Monroe.

938, Douglas Benjamin McEnery, 2908 Lee avenue, Monroe.

939, James Brown, colored, P. O. Box 610, Monroe.

940, Norris Wadsworth Trousdale, 610 North Third street, Monroe.

941, Nanzle King, colored, 206 Ninth street, Monroe.

942, Louis Lawrence Peters, 1311 Forsythe avenue, Monroe.

943, Ivy Cullen Jordan, 507 Rochelle avenue, Monroe.

944, Elmer Nelson London, P. O. Box 616, Monroe.

945, Fred Melton Patterson, 607 Alabama street, Monroe.

Board No. 2

783, Booker T. Welch, colored, general delivery, West Monroe.

784, George Washington Glover, colored, Route 2, Box 196, Monroe.

785, Fred Jones, colored, care Union Oil Mill, West Monroe.

786, Lawyer Reed, Jr., colored, Route 3, Box 32, Monroe.

787, Joseph Edward Knott, 303 Cotton street, West Monroe.

788, Ray Elias Mayo, Route 1, Calhoun.

789, Carvin Samuel Smudricks, general delivery, care Mrs. Edith Mae Smudricks, West Monroe.

790, Lisso Jones, colored, care Brown Paper Mill, West Monroe.

791, Charles Lee Young, Route 4, West Monroe.

792, William Willis Matthews, P. O. Box 3223, West Monroe.

793, Clifton Columbus Hayden, 508 North Fourth street, West Monroe.

794, Matt Humble Parker, Sterlington.

795, Odis Head, care Brown Paper Mill, West Monroe.

796, Cal Maxwell, colored, Route 2, Box 196, Monroe.

797, Leandrew Fobbs, colored, 206 Ninth street, Monroe.

798, James Aubrey Cooper, colored, P. O. Box 3301, Monroe.

799, Ira Earl King, care Brown Paper Mill, West Monroe.

800, Bennie Henry Andrews, P. O. Box 3122, West Monroe.

801, James Hanspard, colored, Route 4, Box 368-A, West Monroe.

802, Russell McLaine Cook, 201 Mitchell avenue, West Monroe.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Herron, 608 Auburn avenue, announce the birth of a son Friday at St. Francis sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Young, route 4, West Monroe, announce the birth of a daughter Friday at St. Francis sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hamilton, 213 Haynes street, West Monroe, announce the arrival of a son, born Thursday at Riverside sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Shields, 505 Vernon street, West Monroe, announce the arrival of a daughter, born Friday at Riverside sanitarium.

General Robert E. Lee's Memory Will Be Honored

Eleven States, Including Louisiana, Observe Birthday As Holiday

Pausing in their regular programs, many of the public schools of Monroe and West Monroe will pay honor to the valor, heroism and patriotism of General Robert E. Lee, one of history's greatest and most beloved generals. His birthday falls on Sunday and banks and public institutions will observe the legal holiday on Monday. Eleven states will observe the day in respect to the great leader of the lost cause.

Robert Edward Lee, one of the most skilled tacticians of the War Between the States, was born in Virginia, January 19, 1807, the son of General Harry Lee, of Revolutionary fame. In 1829 he left West Point military academy with the rank of second lieutenant of engineers. After making a tour of Europe, he obtained a captaincy in 1838 and in 1847 was named engineer-in-chief of the army in the Mexican campaign. His brilliant services at Cerro-Gordo, Contreras and Chapultepec—he was wounded in the latter engagement—speedily gained for him the rank of colonel. From 1852 to 1855, he was superintendent of military studies at his alma mater, West Point.

In 1861 he became colonel of his regiment, but when Virginia seceded from the Union, he turned in his commission and in 1862 was placed in command of the Virginia army. A short time later, President Jefferson Davis selected him as commander-in-chief.

In June, 1862, he defeated the Federal army under McClellan, and, aided by Stonewall Jackson, defeated Pope at Manassas Junction on the 30th. An indecisive battle was fought with McClellan at Antietam. Lee subsequently crossing the Potomac and withdrawing behind the Rappahannock. Then on December 13 he defeated the Federalists under Burnside at Fredericksburg and a few months later in May, 1863, defeated Hooker at Chancellorsville.

This great victory led to invasion of Pennsylvania, where was fought the Battle of Gettysburg, July 1-3, where Lee was defeated by General Meade. Then came a forced retreat into Virginia.

The campaign of 1864 was initiated by the advance of General Grant on May 4. A succession of stubbornly-contested battles followed from the Wilderness by way of Spottsylvania and Cold Harbor to Petersburg.

The siege of Petersburg was protracted until April 2, 1865, when Grant broke through Lee's defense and forced the abandonment of Richmond.

Union forces, with their great superiority of men, gradually hemmed in Confederate forces, and on April 9, Lee and his army surrendered at Appomattox courthouse.

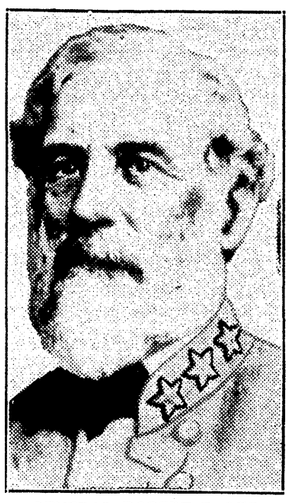
General Lee, after a brief retirement, was elected president of Washington College, Lexington, Va. His death occurred five years later, October 12, 1870.

As the years go by, the fame of General Lee has ever increased in brilliance. His ability as military tactician and leader has been recognized by both north and south. He possessed a nature of kindliness and desire for fair play that endeared him to all who knew him. Washington college is today know as Washington and Lee University in honor of the general who was immediately following the war a brilliant faculty member.

Numerous monuments have been erected to General Lee, notably a huge equestrian one at Richmond, Va., which attracts wide attention.

States that observe Lee's birthday as a legal holiday are as follows: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

BELOVED LEADER



GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE

Historian Foresees British Victory Within Two Years

Believes Aid To Britain Will Keep United States Out Of War

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Who will win the war? Here are the views of an eminent American historian, Albert Bushnell Hart, now 86, for nearly half a century professor of history at Harvard until his retirement in 1926. A keen student of world affairs, he predicted in 1914 that the allies would win the World War; in 1916 he predicted that the United States would enter the war; in March, 1938, he foresaw another European war.)

By Albert Bushnell Hart
(By Associated Press)

I think that Germany can be defeated by Great Britain in two years at the most, provided the English can receive a sufficient and continuous supply of the materials of war—a responsibility that rests with the United States.

In fact, I believe that the next four weeks will constitute the acme, the crisis, of the war, because it will be within that period that public opinion must crystallize on President Roosevelt's viewpoint that we must fortify Britain in order to offset ultimate invasion of this country.

The United States is in no danger of invasion so long as Britain stands, and further, I don't believe there is any likelihood of this country entering the war as long as she keeps Britain supplied with the arms and ships she needs.

But I do say flatly that if it should appear that Britain were to be subjugated, this country would have to send an expeditionary force to Europe. I believe that Germany realizes that, too, and fears the possibility.

As to the two years' time I have set, I don't believe either of the sides at war can hold out any longer than that. Moreover, the odds are decidedly against the Germans because she has no real allies.

Italy has proved a failure—in fact, the amazing thing has been that Germany has so far not raised a real hand to help Italy out, and Japan, despite the apparent bonds of the Rome-Tokyo-Berlin axis, cannot be considered as a potential ally, because Japan knows that if Germany wins, she will eat Japan up.

Then, there's always the threat to Germany that rests with Russia—Russia who will never play No. 2 to Germany's No. 1. The Russians would never accept a German-dictated peace for Europe, and if it came to an issue over Germany's coveting the oil and the grain of the rich Ukraine, Russia would fight.

I have said before and I say again that Russia always will be a stumbling block to Germany's aims. At least three times, it's been announced that they're going to be good friends, good schoolmates eating out of the same lunch basket, but it has not worked out. Russia always breaks away. She wants to be captain or she won't play.

Now, as to the world situation after the war. First of all, the German people would have to get rid of Hitler; there could be no permanent peace with this man who has shown himself to be a tyrannical despot.

It would be useless to attempt any permanent League of Nations, because Germany has shown in the past she cannot accommodate herself to any genuine league with the nations and would probably act the same way again. However, I believe that there might well be some sort of world congress working toward a peace based on justice. Even the vanquished should get a share of the pie—and I think it would be helpful if Germany were given colonies of some sort to take care of her expanded population.

But I don't believe the United States should attempt to play too prominent a part in any after-war settlement. This country still will have territories of her own to guard—and we can't attempt to remake the map of Europe.

I don't believe it is beyond the realm of possibility that this nation may annex Canada and British possessions in the Pacific, because Britain, weakened by war, will be unable to protect them herself from an aggressor, whoever it might be, and they certainly won't be able to protect themselves.

Moreover, no matter what happens as a result of the war, Greenland must be added to the United States. It is too near us to be the coveted prize of any nation with aggressive tendencies.

As to the possessions we now have, it is impossible to argue down the fact that a comparatively small group of airships might bomb the locks of the Panama Canal, thereby separating the two vast boundaries of the United States, so far as seapower is concerned.

Then, there are the Hawaiian islands, an outpost to be held at any sacrifice of ships or men. To allow the Hawaiian islands to be occupied by any nation other than the United States would mean the eventual capture and transfer of California and the whole Pacific coast down to Mexico. The Republic of the United States cannot endure if any combination of powers, European or Asiatic, finds a lodgment south of California anywhere between the Golden Gate and the Isthmus of Panama.

The president has indicated the importance of these outposts to us. He realizes that if the Germans should conquer England and occupy it in this war, the next movement of the Germans would be to occupy a group of the West Indies islands and the Isthmus of Panama, and, presumably, the territory between the canal and the Rio Grande river, southern boundary of the United States.

In his insistence that the United States be the arsenal of democracy in the war now going on, we have a foundation for military and naval preparation which will keep the United States out of danger.

BRITISH CAPTURE FRENCH FREIGHTER

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The British today captured and put a prize crew on board the 8,199-ton French freighter Mendoza, which for the past week had been trying to slip through the British south Atlantic blockade with a cargo of food for France.

(Presumably she now will be escorted to a British port.)

The Brazilian navy ministry said Brazilian planes, patrolling the coast, reported the British cruiser Asturias, which had been doggedly following the Mendoza for days, intercepted her five miles off Ponta Itaporcocia, state of Santa Catharina, and that the two ships later stood out to sea.

The Mendoza already had been turned back three times before she sailed from Punta del Este, Uruguay, on January 15, and steamed along the coast, hugging the shore, while the Asturias followed outside territorial waters.

RADIO PROGRAM

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key station, on basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED) Basic — East: weaf wfbg wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic wlok cbm kyw wcae wcsh wjar weeu wraw wgy wize wspd wre wdel wtag; **Midw.:** wmaq who wire wdaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; **South:** kgnc wsb wbrc wme wsmb kgnc wfaa wbap kprc wjdx wjax wlak kark wmc wiod wala wsmb wky wcoa wmbg woal ktbs kfla wsun kvoo; **Mt.:** koa kdyl kyum

NBC-WJZ (BLUE) Basic — east: wjz wakr waby wbal whz wlee webr whk wxyz wleu wnbc wfll kdka wmff wkip wean wham wbza wsyr wtol wmal wfmj; **Midwest:** well wbcm wenr wls kso wkbb wfdf wowo wibm wren wjim wtcn kowh kwk kma kscj wcbs; **South:** waga wjbo wsgn kgko wmfj kths kxyz wnps wkat wilsu wtmc ktok wiof wrnl keme; **Mountain:** gvod klo kghf kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—**East:** wsan wrdo wibz wlw wsai wcol wing wkbo kgal wfea wbre work whiz cbc cbl cmx; **Midwest:** kfyr webc wghf wday wgl wood wiba kysm koam kroe kfam kelo ksoo kgbx kans; **South:** wise wopi wtma wgka wsoc wspo wblk wis wala wtsm wols wfbc wkpt wrol wave wsfa wsm wtar wptf wsav krgv wsjs; **Mountain:** kob kghl kido kgir kpra ktar ksel koh kglu kvoa ktfi

CBS-WABC: Basic — East: wabc woko wcoa weei wgr wkbw wcky wgar wdrc wcau wjas wpro wfbl wsjv; **Midwest:** wint wbbm krnt wfbm kmbc kfab whas kmox. **OTHER STATIONS — East:** wade-whab wabi wnbf wcax wbns whio wjr whp wheu ckac wgan wbec wkrg wgbl wmas whnx cfrb wlbx wbry worc wkbn; **Midwest:** woc wdal weao wind wtaq wmfg wkzo wkbh kslo wisn wcco koil wmbd wsbt wibw whlb kfh wnax; **South:** waim wwnc wgst wrdw wapi wesc wcsh wbt wdod wrbl krld wdnc krod wmmn; wbig ktrh wmbr wnox klra wmaz wrec wcoc wqam wcov wlac wwl koma wdbo wpar wrva wdbj wfoy ktsa wtoc kwkh word wdae ktul wjno wwva kwft; **Mountain:** kggm kvor klz kfbb kgvo koy ksl kvsf ktuc

MBS-WOR-WGN—Basic: wor wgn wrok wlav ckiw whk wcle wsay wgr wkbw weny wkny wbax warm wfil wlim west wazl wkbo work wgal what wchm wjej wol wcae wstv whe wjw wbkc wkrc; **New England:** waab wiee weli wtht watr wspr wfea wlnh wlbz wats wrdo wlih wean wsar wnbh what keeu kbrk wsyb; **Midwest:** whbf kwk kwos wlol wdsm kabr kate kgeu kdlr kvox kdge wrmc klpm kwno kso wmt kofi kfor kggf whb ktsw kfbi ksal kvbg; **South:** wdef whir wrva wkva whnt wsls wgn wral wsjr wtsp wsoc wmrc wiap wgrc wcmi wsix wtjs wmps watj wbmj wdak wsgn wjby wmsl ktok kada kcrc kome kbix kgff wrr kfjz waco know kxyz kpac kabc krrv keme ktem krbc kbst kekl kfyo kfda krgv kris; **Mt.:** kfei kfka kxfj kyan keuh klo kovo. (Note: some MBS stations also on other chains.)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections.)

1:00—Lee Gordon & Orch.—nbc-weaf
Radio City Concert Cont'd—nbc-wjz
Church of the Air Sermon—cbs-wabc
March of Health, Drama—mbs-chain
1:15—Singing Canaries—mbs-midwest
1:30—On Your Job Prog. — nbc-weaf
Josef Marais and His Songs—nbc-wjz
March of Games Quizers—cbs-wabc
Sunday's Lutheran Hour — mbs-east
2:00—NBC's String Symph.—nbc-weaf
Ted Malone's Pilgrimage — nbc-wjz
To Be Announced (30 m.)—cbs-wabc
This Is Fort Dix Prog. — mbs-chain
2:15—Foreign Policy Talks — nbc-wjz
2:30—Chicago's Roundtable—nbc-weaf
Tapestry Musicale Orches.—nbc-wjz
News; Sweet Rhythm, Or.—cbs-wabc
Sunday Afternoon Music—mbs-chain
3:00—Dance Music Orch. — nbc-weaf
The Great Plays Series — nbc-wjz
N. Y. Philharmonic Orch.—cbs-wabc
Haven of Rest, Hymns — mbs-chain
3:15—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc-weaf
3:30—Music Feature Prgs.—nbc-weaf
Don Arroz, tenor, & Orc.—mbs-chain
3:45—Becker's Dog Talk — nbc-weaf
4:00—Yvette and Her Songs—nbc-weaf
Sunday Vespers by Radio—nbc-wjz
Peter Quill the Wizard — mbs-chain
4:15—Tony Wons Scrapb'k—nbc-weaf
4:30—The Pageant for Art—nbc-weaf
Dancing Behind the Stars—nbc-wjz
Andre Kostelanetz Concert—cbs-wabc
Shadow Drama—mbs-New England
Lutheran Hour in repeat — mbs-west
5:00—Auditions for Opera—nbc-weaf
Sisters; Boy Yodeler; Dance—nbc-wjz
Women's Symphony Orch.—cbs-wabc
The Musical Steelmakers—mbs-chain
5:30—Dreams Coming True—nbc-weaf
Hidden Stars, Tucker Orc.—nbc-wjz
Col. Lemuel's Stoopnagle—cbs-wabc
Shadow Drama repeat — mbs-wor
6:00—The Catholic Service—nbc-weaf
News; brief Piano Period—nbc-wjz
Conrad Nagle and Theater—cbs-wabc
Double or Nothing, Quiz—mbs-wor
6:05—New Friends of Music—nbc-wjz
6:30—Ted Weems and Quiz—nbc-weaf
Gene Autry and Melodies—mbs-wabc
Show of the Week Orch.—mbs-wor
7:00—Jack Benny and Mary—nbc-weaf
European War Broadcasts—nbc-wjz
Dinning Sisters, Song—nbc-blue-west
European War Broadcast—cbs-wabc
Joseph Szigeti and Violin—mbs-wor
7:30—Band Wagon Orches.—nbc-weaf
Music for the Listening — nbc-wjz
The Screen Guild Theatre—cbs-wabc
Potpourri of Weekend—cbs-midwest
War News From Berlin—mbs-chain
7:45—Wythe Williams — mbs-network
8:00—Bergen & McCarthy—nbc-weaf
Star Spangled Theater — nbc-wjz
Helen Hayes Dramas—cbs-wabc-east
Piano Recital; 4 Clubmen—cbs-west
American Forum Debates—mbs-wor
8:30—One Man's Family — nbc-weaf
Sherlock Holmes, Dramatic—nbc-wjz
"Crime Doctor," Drama — cbs-wabc
8:45—Dorothy Thompson — mbs-wor
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—The Merry-Go-Round—nbc-weaf
Walter Winchell's Column—nbc-wjz
The Sunday Evening Hour—cbs-wabc
Old Fashioned Revival — mbs-chain
9:15—The Parker Family — nbc-wjz
9:30—Album Familiar Mus.—nbc-weaf
Irene Rich's 15-min. Play — nbc-wjz
9:45—Bill Stern and Sports—nbc-wjz
10:00—Phil Spitalny's Girls — nbc-weaf
Good Will Hour via Radio—nbc-wjz
Bob Hawk's Quiz Program—cbs-wabc
News; Dance Music Hour—mbs-wor
10:30—Deadline Drama—nbc-weaf-east
M. Shrednik Orchestra—nbc-red-west
CBS Workshop Play—cbs-wabc-west
Helen Hayes Play repeat—cbs-west
11:00—News Broadcast—nbc-weaf-wjz
News Broadcasting Time—cbs-wabc
Orch. Tunes for Dancing—mbs-chain
A. Mitchell (Answer Man)—mbs-west
11:15—Dance Orch. & News—all chains

MRS. LOLA BOYD GAINS STRENGTH

Although still sneezing, Mrs. Lola Boyd, physically improved, will be put to sleep by puzzled physicians at Charity Hospital in New Orleans for three or four days, according to a letter received by her husband, J. E. Boyd, Morning World and News-Star employe.

She will be brought out of her prolonged sleep gradually. Saturday she was transferred to a private room.

Affected by violent sneezing since last December 10, when she underwent an operation, Mrs. Boyd was brought to Charity Hospital January 9 for a diagnosis.

She is the mother of a seven-year-old son, Charles Jerry Boyd.

DOCK BOARD NAMED

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Acting Governor Marc M. Mouton yesterday reappointed members of the New Orleans dock board as required by a constitutional amendment ratified last November. New commissions were issued to Joseph A. Airey, for a term expiring December 6, 1944; Lester F. Alexander, December 6, 1945; C. A. Vertel, December 6, 1946; A. B. Freeman, December 6, 1947, and E. A. Stephens, December 6, 1948.

The World's Latest Market News

COTTON

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures declined here today under hedging and week-end long liquidation. Final prices were steady three points net lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Mch.	10.44	10.45	10.41	10.41	off 3
May	10.48	10.49	10.46	10.46	off 3
July	10.38	10.38	10.35	10.35	off 3
Oct.	9.95	9.97	9.95	9.94b	....
Dec.	9.91b	...	...	9.88b	....

b—Bid.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady; three points lower. Sales 1,348. Low middling 8.86, middling 10.11, good middling 10.66, receipts 1,126, stock 526,281.

AVERAGE COTTON PRICE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton today at ten designated southern spot markets was 3 points lower at 10.03 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days 9.98 cents; middling 7-8ths inch average 9.82 cents a pound.

New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures developed a slightly easier trend today in a limited volume of trading. March liquidation, hedge and New Orleans selling met a rather listless trade demand and prices at the finish were two to four points lower and at virtually the lowest levels of the session.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Mch.	10.40	10.40	10.36	10.36-37	off 3
May	10.44	10.45	10.41	10.41-42	off 3
July	10.33	10.33	10.30	10.31	off 2
Oct.	9.92	9.92	9.89	9.89	off 4
Dec.	9.84	9.84	9.83	9.83	off 4

Middling spot 10.59, off 3.

Livestock

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 500; total 9,500; nominally steady; few loads and lots good to choice 220-260 lbs. 8.25-40; compared week ago: 75-1.00 higher, most upturn on light and medium weight butchers; late top 8.60 compared with 7.75 week ago.

Salable cattle 100; calves none; largely fat steer run, bulk going at 9.75 to 13.75; extreme top 15.00. Bulls steady to weak; vealers 50-75 higher; practical top fat heifers 12.75, choice heavy vealers bringing 13.00 to 14.00.

Salable sheep none, total 2,000; late Friday; load lots fed westerns 160 lbs. down 10.50 to 10.65; extreme top fat lambs 10.85, closing limit 10.65 freely, week's bulk good to choice fed westerns 104 lbs. down 10.35 to 10.65, few throwout natives 8.50 to 9.50.

Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Butter receipts 739,757; firm; market unchanged.

Eggs, receipts 7,569; weaker, fresh graded, extra firsts 18 1-4; firsts 17 3-4; current receipts 17; dirties 15; other prices unchanged.

STUDENT VARIETY SHOW IS PLANNED

Will Present 'Redskins On Parade' At Junior College

Plans are well under way for "Redskins on Parade," a Northeast Junior College all-student variety show to be presented March 21 in the college auditorium. The production, the first of its kind ever attempted by the local college student body, will be directed by Zack Daughtry, sophomore speech student, and sponsored by the student council.

Other members of the production staff are: Lloyd Lenard, assistant director; Jo Ann Guerriero, dance director; Edward Johnson and Gerald Michael, orchestra; Mildred Meredith, Bruns Grayson, and James Mooney, scenic artists; Noves Rove, costume designer. Dallas Goss, instructor in voice at Northeast Junior College, will serve as advisor to the staff.

A campuswide search for talent will be made during the week of January 20. Casting will begin the following week.

Director Daughtry says that he is certain that there is ample talent on the campus, and urges all students to try for a position in the cast.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

From George W. Trousdale and Warren F. Taylor to Walter W. Kellogg, lot 6, of block 2, of Pargoud Place addition No. 1 to the city of Monroe, except portion of said lot situated in lot 6, block 2, of Pargoud Place addition No. 1 to the city of Monroe, beginning on east line of Myrtle street, 280 feet north of intersection of Myrtle street and Park avenue; $1,475 cash.

RIVER STAGES

Stations.	Flood Stage	Present Stage	24-Hour Change
MISSISSIPPI—			
St. Louis	30	2.7	0.7 Rise
Memphis	34	8.4	1.5 Fall
Arkansas City	42	12.3	0.7 Fall
Vicksburg	43	10.7	0.9 Fall
Natchez	48	17.9	0.7 Fall
Baton Rouge	35	14.8	0.4 Fall
New Orleans	17	5.0	0.4 Fall
ATCHAFALAYA—			
Melville	37	20.4	0.3 Fall
Morgan City	6	3.2	0.9 Fall
OUACHITA—			
Camden	26	10.4	0.6 Rise
Monroe	40	28.4	0.5 Fall
OHIO—			
Pittsburgh	25	16.7	0.0
Cincinnati	52	15.6	...
Cairo	40	11.5	0.1 Rise
TENNESSEE—			
Chattanooga	30	8.1	0.3 Rise
CUMBERLAND—			
Nashville	40	10.0	0.2 Rise
ARKANSAS—			
Fort Smith	22	12.0	1.6 Rise
Little Rock	23	4.1	0.6 Rise
RED—			
Shreveport	39	12.6	0.4 Fall
Alexandria	32	21.6	0.4 Fall

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Stocks mixed; price changes narrow. Bonds steady; rails edge forward. Foreign exchange quiet; far eastern currencies lower. Cotton lower; trade covering, hedging and liquidation. Sugar firm; trade support. Metals even; prices unchanged in quiet trading. Wool tops improved; spot house buying.

CHICAGO: Wheat easy; grain belt moisture. Corn weak; improved marketing weather. Cattle steady. Hogs steady; quotable top $8.60.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The stock market tried to finish the week with a mild rally today but early fractional gains for most steels, rails and aircrafts were wiped out at the close and minor declines were well distributed. Scattered specialties managed to emerge on the upside.

Some buying came in on the idea that the list, after six successive sessions in which no progress had been made on average, was entitled to a moderate come-back.

Recovery restraint, however, still was attributed mainly to warnings of war dangers sounded at Washington, scant inspiration from shifts in the European conflict and lack of definite information regarding just what congress may do with the much-disputed lend-lease bill.

Stocks up fractions to a point or so at one time or another included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Westinghouse, General Electric, Johns-Manville, U. S. Gypsum, Bendix, Lockheed, Consolidated Aircraft, International Nickel, Consolidated Edison, Chrysler, General Motors, Mack Truck, Sears Roebuck, International Harvester and Goodyear.

Standard Oil of New Jersey backed down from the price of 34½ at which 500,000 shares recently were sold "over-the-counter." This interested commission houses which had deplored the loss of the business, as well as many other sizable blocks of British-owned and domestic securities, to private dealers. The thought here was that off-the-exchange transactions might soon reach the saturation point.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	47½
Allegheny Corporation	1⅝
Allied Chemical & Dye	160
Allied Stores	4¾
Allis Chalmers Manufacturing	31½
American Can	92½
American Car & Foundry	30
American & Foreign Power	1¾
American Locomotive	8¼
American Metal	24¼
American Power & Light	2¼
American Rad & S S	6¾
American Roller Mills	14
American Smelting & Refining	32
American Steel Foundries	20¾
American Sugar Refining	32½
American Tel & Tel	153¾
American Tobacco B	73
American Water Works	6¾
Anaconda Copper	27
Armour of Illinois	4¾
Armstrong Cork	37
Associated Dry Goods	6¾
Atchison T & S F	37¾
Atlantic Coast Line	23¾
Atlantic Refining	23¾
Auto Corporation	6
Aviation Corporation	4¾
Baltimore & Ohio	6¾
Barnsdall Oil	5¾
Bendix Aviation	43¾
Bethlehem Steel	61
Boeing Airplane	14¾
Borg-Warner Corporation	34
Braden Manufacturing	24
Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit	6¾
Budd Manufacturing	4¾
Bulova Watch	6¾
Burroughs Adding Machine	17¾
Calumet & Hecla	4¾
Canada Dr Ginger Ale	17
Canadian Pacific	4
Caterpillar Tractor	48
Celanese Corporation	9
Celotex Corporation	9
Cerro De Pasco	32
Chesapeake & Ohio	42¾
Chrysler Corporation	70¾
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet	15¾
Columbia Gas & Electric	3¾
Commercial Credit	45¾
Commercial Investment Trust	37¾
Commercial Solvent	13¾
Commonwealth & Southern	1¾
Consolidated Copper	6¾
Consolidated Edison	22¾
Consolidated Oil	6¾
Continental Can	55¾
Continental Insurance	35¾
Continental Motors	5¾
Continental Oil Delaware	31¾
Corn Products	63¾
Crane Company	16¾
Curtiss Zellerbach	14¾
Curtis-Wright	9
Curtiss-Wright A	2¾
Deere & Company	20¼
Delaware & Hudson	12¼
Delaware Lack & Western	4
Distillers Corporation-Seagrams	18
Dome Mines	20¾
Douglas Aircraft	45
Du Pont De Nemours	156½
Eastman Kodak Co	21¾
Electric Auto Lite	15¾
Electric Boat	4
Electric Power & Light	4
Electric Power & Light $7 pf	30¾
Engineers Public Service	1¾
Firestone Tire & Rubber	18
Flintkote Company	14¾
Freeport Sulphur	33¾
General Electric	34¾
General Foods	38½
General Motors	45½
Gillette Safety Razor	3½
Gimbel Brothers	6¾
Goodrich B F	13¾
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	16¾
Great Northern Railway pf	27¾
Greyhound Corporation	11¾
Hecker Products	7½
Homestake Mining	51¾
Illinois Central	7¾
Inspirational Copper	12
Interlake Iron	9¾
International Harvester	51¾
International Hydro-Electric A	2¼
International Nickel Can	25¾
International Paper & Power	13¾
International Tel & Tel	2½
Johns-Manville	61
Kansas City Southern	13¾
Kennecott Copper	31¾
Kroger Grocery	22¾
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	40¾
Liggett & Myers B	94½
Lockheed Aircraft	26½
Loew's Incorporated	32
Loft Incorporated	18
Lone Star Cement	39½
Long Bell Lumber A	31⅜
Louisville & Nashville	65½
Mack Trucks	31
Macy R H Company	25⅜
Marine Midland	4⅞
Marshall Field	13⅞
McKesson & Robbins	33¼
McClelland Stores	7¼
Mid-Cont Pet	14½
Minn Moline	3⅞
Mission Corporation	10⅝
Missouri Kansas & Texas	1⅝
Missouri Kansas & Texas pf	2⅛
Montgomery Ward	37⅝
Nash Kelvinator	4⅞
National Acme	21
National Biscuit	17⅜
National Cash Register	13⅜
National Dairy Products	13½
National Distillers	23½
National Gypsum	7⅞
National Lead	17
National Power & Light	7¼
National Steel	64
National Supply	6
Newport Industries	8
New York Central Railroad	14⅛
Norfolk & Western	210¼
North American Aviation	16⅛
North American Company	16½
Northern Pacific	7
Ohio Oil	7¼
Otis Elevator	17
Otis Steel	6⅝
Owens-Illinois Glass	45¼
Pacific Gas & Electric	23½
Packard Motor	3⅛
Pan-American Airways	14½
Paramount Pictures	10⅞
Pathe Film	8⅝
Penney J C	83¾
Pennsylvania Railroad	23⅝
Phillips Petroleum	37¾
Procter & Gamble	52⅜
Public Service New Jersey	28⅞
Pullman Company	26½
Pure Oil	8⅛
Radio Corporation of America	4⅜
Reading Company	14
Remington Rand	9
Republic Steel	20⅛
Reynolds Tobacco B	33½
Richfield Oil	8⅞
Schenley Distillers	11
Sears Roebuck	77
Servel Incorporated	13¾
Shell Union Oil	11½
Simmons Company	23¼
Skelly Oil	20⅝
Socony-Vacuum Oil	8⅞
Southern Pacific	9¼
Southern Railway	13¾
Sperry Corporation	36⅜
Spicer Incorporated	23⅜
Standard Brands	4¾
Standard Oil California	19¼
Standard Oil Indiana	13⅜
Standard Oil New Jersey	34
Stewart Corporation	7¾
Stromberg Carlson	22⅞
Studebaker	5⅝
Sun Oil	27⅞
Sunshine Mining	3⅝
Texas Corporation	35¾
Texas Gulf Sulphur	36⅛
Texas Pacific C & O	4
Texas

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Announcements

Cards of Thanks (1)

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To our many friends, both white and colored, we owe a debt of gratitude for the many flowers and expressions of sympathy extended to us during the illness and death of our loved one—Johnnie Howe.

HIS WIFE, MOTHER, SON, SISTER AND REV. AND MRS. STEED

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our many heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness and messages of sympathy received by us at the sudden death of our beloved son and brother, Grider Martin. We are especially grateful to the Crowville Lodge of the Woodmen of the World, Rev. W. C. Wroten and the Dixie Funeral Home for their many courtesies and kindnesses.

MRS. N. E. MARTIN,
LEONARD MARTIN,
MARIE MARTIN

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our everlasting gratitude to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for the beautiful floral offerings, acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended us at the death of our beloved husband, father and brother, Reuben H. Vernon. We especially want to thank Rev. C. Kesler Smith, the members of the Masonic Lodge, the management and employes of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co. and the Dixie Funeral Home for their words of condolence, kind assistance and splendid service.

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Employment

Help Wanted—Male (19)

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN
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EXPERIENCED SALESMAN
Thoroughly familiar with building materials of all kind and experienced enough to manage this department. Must have car and be well acquainted in Monroe and surrounding territory. Apply at office Sears Roebuck and Co. between 10-12 a.m. Monday or Tuesday.

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Agents & Salesmen (20)

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MISSISSIPPI'S LEADING JOBBERS of calendars, signs, novelties, decorations and all forms of advertising will consider application for salesman to handle exclusive territory. Must have car and excellent references. Write HIGHWAY ADVERTISERS, Jackson, Miss.

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Employment

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Between 10—12 a.m.
Monday or Tuesday

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SELL NYLON Hosiery with famous Snag-Protected silk hosiery. Sensational profit opportunity. Write fully for sample silk stocking. American Mills, Dept. P3728, Indianapolis, Ind.

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FOR RENT—Triangle Club, Winnsboro road. See Eddie Ross or 2469.

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FOR RENT, Garage, $30.00. 706 Trenton. Phone 3400.

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I NOT ONLY CAN HEAR IT, I SMELL IT THE WALRUS, THE HERRING, AND ALSO A DECAYED CARP!
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Typewriters, Add. Mach. (43)

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BEDROOM. Next to bath. Close in. Reasonable. Call 2247-J.

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FRONT BEDROOM, connecting bath. Close in. 311 North Second. Phone 4657.

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Room & Board (48)

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Real Estate For Rent

Furnished Apartments (50)

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Unfurnished Apartments (51)

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Residences (56)

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URGE LOUISIANA PLANTS REPORT ON FACILITIES

Association Asks Catalog Of Defense Production Capacities

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Every industrial plant in Louisiana is urged the coming week to catalog its productive facilities in a census being taken for national defense purposes.

Two thousand Louisiana manufacturers on Monday will receive questionnaires which they are urged to fill out, giving their machine tool capacity and floor space, many items of which national defense leaders said might become vital cogs in present demands for more speed in production.

The appeal to the manufacturers was made by R. K. Longino, president of the Louisiana Manufacturers Association, and Crawford H. Ellis, vice-chairman of the national defense council of Louisiana.

Meantime Governor Sam H. Jones declared the week "preparedness through production week" and asked all manufacturers to join in taking the productive facilities census.

"With the prompt cooperation of our manufacturers, the results will give us a complete picture of Louisiana's productive capacity," Governor Jones said.

"We can then determine which of our plants, not equipped to undertake primary contracts, are capable of turning out essential parts and whose facilities are not now being utilized.

"Manufacturers in Louisiana and other states having primary contracts can be persuaded to subcontract in our state if we can show them what is available.

"It is obvious that considerable time and money will be saved by using such plants and equipment rather than by building entirely new facilities. * * *

"I strongly urge every manufacturer in Louisiana to cooperate in this important job."

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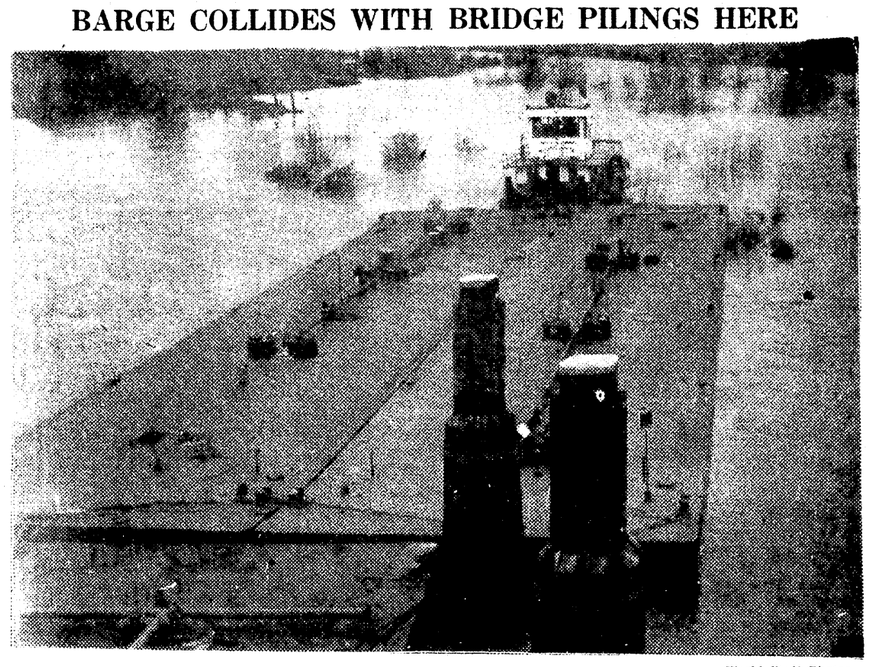

World Staff Photos

A Simpson Oil Company tugboat, chugging southward on the Ouachita river with two large barges, was caught by strong eddies just before passing through the new river bridge here Saturday morning and was pushed against the bridge pilings. The barges were locked for several hours when the tug swung around and grounded in the shallow water.

MILITARY FUNERAL WILL BE CONDUCTED

Members of the Rodney J. Hobbs Post Veterans of Foreign Wars will take part in the burial of Henry Peed, who died suddenly Friday at 7 p.m. of a heart attack. Mr. Peed was a charter member of the Boone-McDowell V. F. W. post of Bastrop, and had served in several officer capacities of the post in recent years. He had never fully recovered from his overseas service.

Interment will be in the V. F. W. lot in the Bastrop Cemetery at 2 p.m. Sunday with his post at Bastrop in charge, assisted by the firing squad of the Monroe post. Commander H. M. James urges all post members to be at the V. F. W. home at 12 o'clock, ready to make the Bastrop trip.

Huge Spending Program Prospect For Third Term

Expect F. D. R. To Spend More By '43 Than All Other Presidents

By Irving Perlmeter

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt enters his third term Monday with huge defense requirements complicating federal finances after expenditures to aid the unemployed, the farmers and the aged already had made his first two terms the costliest in peacetime history.

Counting the defense program as already outlined, and $19,891,000 of government corporation disbursements, it appears probable that by the middle of Mr. Roosevelt's third term the government will have disbursed more than $118,000,000,000 since 1933—as much as was spent during the administrations of all the preceding presidents.

Federal officials said that offsetting these figures were billions of loan repayments, improvement of government properties and resources, investments for pensioning aged persons, and a rise in the national income from a depression low of about $40,000,000,000 to an estimated $84,000,000,000 in the next fiscal year. Some of the billions, they noted, were voted by congress on its own initiative and against the president's advice.

From the first inauguration of George Washington to America's entrance into the World war, federal expenditures totaled $26,711,815,000. The World war alone cost more than that, and government budgets never returned to pre-war levels, so that by the time Franklin D. Roosevelt took office the total was up to $118,388,863,000.

Under Mr. Roosevelt, official figures showed today, actual disbursements of the treasury and government corporations plus forthcoming expenditures estimated in the president's January 6 budget message aggregate $118,891,090,000. Except for $11,204,762,000 of defense items, this total will apply only to June 30, 1942.

The treasury debt on March 4, 1933, date of Mr. Roosevelt's first inauguration, was $20,937,350,964. The president estimated that it would reach $58,367,065,056 on June 30, 1942, without counting money which may be borrowed to finance the British aid program.

In addition, government corporations under Mr. Roosevelt have created a debt of $0,000,000,000, due to be repaid out of the assets of the corporations.

Where the treasury's share of this spending went prior to the current defense program is indicated in an official compilation. In the fiscal years 1933 (mostly a Hoover) year to 1940, inclusive, the treasury spent $58,672,000,000.

It was divided as follows:

Relief, $15,507,000,000; grants to states for social security, $1,142,000,000; public works, $6,500,000,000; aid to agriculture, $7,643,000,000; defense, $7,497,000,000; veterans' pension and benefits, $7,212,000,000; other departmental expenses, $3,188,000,000; interest on the public debt, $6,790,000,000; miscellaneous, $3,193,000,000.

DEER BECOMES HUNTER

DOWNIEVILLE, Calif.—(AP)—People here are a little peeved at Mickey, a roving deer who belies his race's timidity by chasing men, women and children. He capped the climax by trying to break down a deputy sheriff's door. So now he's going to the Roseville city zoo.

DISTRICT ARMY RECRUITS NAMED

Enlistments Since January 1 Told By Local Officer

The following named young men from Monroe and surrounding territory were enlisted in the regular army during January, stated Sergeant H. B. McNemar, local army recruiter.

For G. H. Q. Air Corps, MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla.: Hobson L. Boulware, Henry Lee Stevens, Rufus R. McCurdy, Jr., and Frank M. Burkett, Jr., all of Monroe; Harold E. Aswell and Howard E. Maxey, Downsville; William R. Bolding, Oak Grove; Rurel R. Wood and Joyce O. Finley, Eros; Valery X. Bourgeois, Sterlington; Winston G. Stallings, Rochelle; Walter E. Butler, Ruston; Albert P. Cook, Jr., Bastrop; John M. Croft, Jr., Collinston.

Those enlisting for infantry, 4th division, Ft. Benning, Ga., were: Claude M. Thompson, Jr., Junction City, Ark.; William B. Oglesby and Aubrey T. Sturdivant, Eros; Bobby H. Rhodes and J. B. Holmes, Monroe; William D. Holloway, Delhi; Cordell Huffman, Roosevelt; Darl E. Wooten, Alsatia.

For 22nd Infantry, Fort McClellan, Ala., were the following: Burley A. Evans and Woodrow W. McKaskle, Sikes; William L. Simons, Dodson; Milton L. Tibbs, Gilbert; Jarrell Cobb, Dunns.

For Field Artillery, 4th Division, Fort Benning, Ga., were: Manual H. Wollerson and Emery L. Thornton, Winnsboro; James W. Morris, Epps; Virgil R. Frost and Silas H. Mays, Jr., Monroe; Curtis E. Butler, Jonesville; Avis C. Venable, Bosco; S. T. Wilhite, Eros; John David and George William Pruitt, Delhi; Benjamin C. Lann, Ruston; Edward A. Sistrunk, Dunns.

Field Artillery, Fort Jackson, S. C.: Lillard L. Hamilton, Chatham; Clyde Thornburg, Winnsboro.

Sergeant McNemar stated that the local recruiting office now has an unlimited number of vacancies for Air Corps, Ordnance Departments, Chemical Regiments, all with stations at Oklahoma City, Okla.; Medical Departments at Fort Barrancas, Fla., and New Orleans; Air Corps, Panama Canal Department; Infantry and Field Artillery, Fort McClellan, and for 4th Engineer Battalion, Fort Benning, Ga.

Applicants interested in the above listed vacancies should contact the recruiting office at once, as these vacancies are to be filled as quickly as possible, he said.

ABOUT AIR

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TALKS DEFENSE

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BENOIT DEATH IS CALLED ACCIDENT

Defective mechanism in a shotgun which caused it to be discharged when dropped, was responsible for the fatal wounding of Mrs. Roy Benoit, Shreveport, at her home there, according to a report Saturday of the Caddo parish coroner. The death was called purely accidental.

Mrs. Benoit was the wife of a first cousin of Mayor H. H. Benoit of Monroe.

WANTS DEFENSE OF DEMOCRACY

Barksdale Officer Will Address Ouachita Scout Council Meeting

"Defending Democracy Today" will be discussed by First Lieutenant Podge M. Reid, public relations officer, Air Corps Advanced Flying school, Barksdale Field, who will be the chief speaker at the annual Ouachita Valley Boy Scout council meeting and scouter's appreciation dinner to be held Tuesday night at Hotel Virginia.

In addition to his duties as public relations officer, Lieutenant Reid is one of the army air corps crack pilots, and on this occasion will fly to Monroe from Barksdale Field.

A graduate of Texas A. and M. college, class of 1932, Lieutenant Reid was graduated from the Army Air Corps Flying school at Randolph Field, Tex., with the class of 1935. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in the air corps in 1936.

A tentative program for the scouting day as announced by A. N. Robinson, chairman of the committee on arrangements, includes a business session, the election of new officers for this area and the dinner, which begins at 6:30 p. m. Various awards of recognition will be presented to volunteer Scout leaders of this section, and annual reports will be submitted, Chairman Robinson stated.

The annual dinner will be attended by Scout leaders and their wives or friends.

Serving on the committee for arrangements are Chairman Robinson, J. G. Hicks, Mayor H. H. Benoit and A. H. Jones.

MAGIC CAR COMING TO MONROE MONDAY

An automobile that talks and has a whole bagful of other tricks which it performs at the slightest provocation and without passing the hat or making any charge, is scheduled to visit here Monday, according to Sam Robbins, local DeSoto dealer.

This car is DeSoto's 1941 Magic Talking car, a $5,000 special creation which has become famous in all parts of the country as the result of appearances at automobile shows and in dealers' showrooms.

The Magic Car not only talks, but it opens and closes its own windows, doors, hood and luggage lid, winds its radio aerial up and down, and has a number of other pet tricks which it performs without anyone being in it or near it.

"Of course it's magic," says Mr. Robbins, "and since all magic is secret, I couldn't tell how it is done, even if I knew."

According to present plans, the magic DeSoto will be seen in action not only at the DeSoto showroom, but in several street appearances as well.

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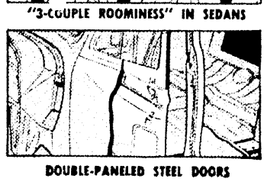
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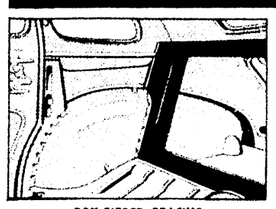
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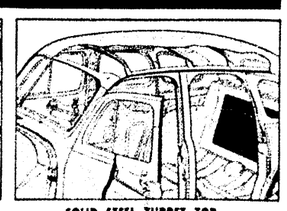
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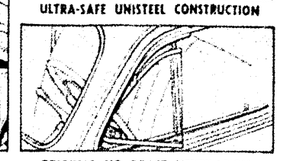
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Mrs. Edward Solomon and Miss Clare Hillman of Louisville, Ky., house guests of Mrs. Solomon's parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. I. Hirsch. Mrs. Solomon will be remembered as Miss Suzanne Hirsch. Lower left.

A bride of recent date, Mrs. Frank Looney, is seen with her attendant and flower girl, Miss Ruth Thomas and Suzanne Burgoyne. To the right.

Mrs. J. E. Bryan, Jr., a bride of recent date, was formerly Miss Leta Colvin of Jonesboro. Lieutenant Bryan, member of the national guard, is on leave of absence for one year from Alabama Tech, where he is a member of the faculty. Lower right.

Spring Flowers Are Blooming In Beautiful Gardens Of Monroe Horticulturists

Camellia Enthusiasts Boast Rare Varieties

Several Families Move Into New Homes Here; Noes To Attend Roosevelt Inaugural Ball

By Eve Bradford

MOST soothing to the soul is the reactionary jog-trot following the hectic rush and crowded hours of December. The month of January provides ample time for retrospection and an opportunity to scan the beautiful Christmas cards that came floating in from every section of the globe.

Something really ought to be done about the preservation of these cards selected with such careful deliberation. They bring a cheerful little message, are admired and then cast aside. On the other hand they might serve a very useful purpose—bring joy to bed-ridden children if they could all be sent to the children's free ward in St. Francis sanitarium where time hangs heavily and daily amusement is necessary. These gayly colored cards could be made into scrap books, posters, screens, thus furnishing hours of amusement for these bed-ridden youngsters.

At any rate we maintain that it is a good idea and one that has great possibilities if some energetic, far-seeing woman would concern herself.

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Rather premature perhaps to talk of spring but definitely springlike is the flowering quince, the white narcissi and the purple hyacinth now blooming in gardens. However, spring can't be far behind when motorists turn southward to the Bellingrath gardens in Mobile where the camellias are now at the height of their beauty.

Murray and Mary Hudson and Louise and Airee Milner motored to Mobile last week in Murray's station wagon so that he could bring back several new varieties of camellias from these famous gardens. He grows camellias on a lavish scale in his garden and is forever seeking new varieties.

Dorothy Sholars, another camellia enthusiast, has several rare varieties in her gardens, exceptionally beautiful being the Governor Mouton, a deep, rich crimson blossom. It seems to thrive in this soil. However, it is little known in this section of the state—it is a native of the Bayou Teche country. The first camellia bush planted by Mrs. Sholars—the nucleus of a beautiful garden—came from South Louisiana where it was lifted bodily from the soil where it took root fifty years ago. Transplanting, evidently did no harm. It flourished and is today, despite its age, one of the loveliest in her garden.

The camellia, despite a past reputation for fraility, has become one of the top-ranking plants with Monroe gardeners. These enthusiasts warn you that camellia growing becomes an engrossing hobby and very soon strong preferences in the matter of varieties and types of blossoms are shown. Some of the oldest bushes in Monroe are found in the gardens of Robert Layton's ancestral home. There are three bushes in particular, estimated at fifty or more years old. The blossoms are single and of a deep rose color—very beautiful indeed.

The camellia got its name (in case you don't already know) from a Moravian Jesuit by the name of Camellus who traveled in Asia in the 17th century and brought back plants to Europe from the East.

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The lovely little poem "January" from the pen of May Smith White (Mrs. J. R. White) graced the cover of the January issue of Kaleidograph, the national magazine of poetry. Several of her poems have been given a prominent place on the cover of this monthly magazine during the past year. Now comes word that an article on club women written by Mrs. White will appear in the National Federated Club magazine next month. It will be read with exceeding interest locally.

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Mr. and Mrs. Zell Smith scan the daily newspapers in quest of war news with greater interest than the average reader as their cousin, Max Harrelson of Arkadelphia is a foreign correspondent. His articles, all front page material, are sent from the thick of the fray. At present he is in Athens, Greece.

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Lots of building going on these days. New homes are springing up everywhere and ground is being broken for others. Out on Bayou DeSiard the Claud Harrisons are beautifying the lot where their new home will soon be erected. Oak trees have been planted in regular formation and a hedge of perennials has already reached an amazing height. Claud and Rook will have nothing to do after their home is built but to sit down and enjoy the shade and the beauty of landscaping and put out the welcome mat for their friends.

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The Hyman Liebreichs are reveling in the shining newness of their lovely new home on North Seventh street. Everything is so spic and span one feels like yielding to the old Dutch custom of removing the shoes before entering.

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Some of the flurry in Washington over the president's inaugural on Monday seems to have blown southward to Monroe where Anna Gray Noe assembled a beautiful wardrobe to wear at the various functions at the White House. When she dines with President and Mrs. Roosevelt she will wear a gold-colored evening model of charming simplicity. With it she will wear a red fox fur coat. Her gown for the inaugural ball will be of white satin with rhinestone passe-menterie. James A. and Anna Gray will be joined in Washington by their daughter, Gay, who is attending National Park Seminary. Her gown for the ball was created by a Washington modiste.

In the vast parade, always very much a part of the presidential inauguration festivities, a Monroe boy, Midshipman Charles Payne, student at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, will walk with other members of his battalion.

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A MUSICAL FAMILY . . .

Mrs. Ben Stern, prominent figure in Monroe musical circles, is seen with her three talented sons, Louis, who plays a baritone horn, Leroy, who plays a French horn, and J. L., who plays the clarinet. Music, very much a part of life in the Stern family, is a strong factor in the happy atmosphere radiating in this home which is considered by young and old to be one of the most hospitable in the city. Where there is music there are usually happy hearts, and where there are happy hearts there is usually the ideal home.

Many Books Reviewed By Review Club Members

"Nothing seems quite so important nowadays as to learn to understand other nations" is a statement in the foreward of the year book of the Review club. Books thus far reviewed by this club, giving intimate glimpses into the lives of peoples in China, Japan, Spain, Poland, Finland, Asia Minor, England, have widened their perceptions and understanding of these countries and has truly elevated their thinking toward a more genuine internationalism.

In addition to the excellant papers presented from time to time, Review club members have been privileged to enjoy charming musical programs. One member in particular, Mrs. Edward Cooley, a talented musician was responsible for several contributions Her departure from Monroe is generally regretted. Guest musicians, including Mrs. Willys Hopkins, have appeared on several programs. Mrs. H. C. Aehle is another Monroe musician who has contributed to the Review club programs on several occasions.

Mrs. D. M. Moore extended the hospitality of her home to the Review club for the January meeting. In accord with the ideals of the club to keep abreast of the times, two excellent books were delightfully reviewed, one, Richard Llewellyn's "How Green Was My Valley," by Mrs. Moore, and James Still's "River of Earth," by Mrs. Roy Hale. Both stories deal with community life in mining districts, the former in Wales, the latter in Kentucky, and both stories give evidence of the distressing human tendency to destroy natural beauty in search of material gain, and though inaudible, are powerful appeals to respect the need of preserving the green places of earth. We see the characters and scenes of "How Green Was My Valley" through an entrancing veil of distance; but the family in "River of Earth" is as close to us as across the next ridge.

Members present at this meeting: Medames B. J. Breard, C. B. Braun, Henry Colbert, W. T. Davis, Fred Fudickar, Allen Givens, Roy Hale, W. R. Hatchell, DeWitt Henry, Reese Major, Sr., C. A. Nenny, Walter Rhodes, A. M. Freeman, B. W. Wright, and Mrs. D. M. Moore.

Frank Parker Observes His Eightieth Birthday

A pleasant memory for Mr. Frank L. Parker to carry with him for the rest of his life was the celebration of his eightieth birthday anniversary arranged as a surprise by his sons and daughters in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Humble in the Cole addition.

At noon dinner was served out of doors at long tables serviced in fiesta ware and florally adorned with beautiful gift flowers. The cutting of the three tiered birthday cake baked by Mrs. J. L. Parker, beautifully embossed and surmounted with eighty candles, was one of the highlights of the dinner hour.

The afternoon was devoted to receiving friends who extended felicitations to the celebrant and enjoyed a pleasant hour of reminiscences.

Throughout the day messages of a congratulatory nature were received and gifts, pouring in from friends and relatives were presented to the celebrant.

The day brought not only pleasure to Mr. Parker but to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fuller of Calhoun whose 33rd wedding anniversary occurred at this time and Mr. J. L. Humble whose birthday was celebrated in conjunction with that of Mr. Parker.

Members of Mrs. Parker's family present at this time included his daughters, Mrs. J. L. Humble, Mrs. M. L. Thompson, Mrs. M. L. Coleman and Mrs. Lester Jacobs. His sons and their families were also present as follows: Mr. J. D. Parker, Mr. J. P. Parker, Mrs. M. H. Parker, Mr. R. F. Parker and Mr. A. H. Parker.

Calling during the afternoon were: Mrs. Tina S. Parker, Mrs. George Tidwell and daughter, Terry Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Austin, Mrs. Pauline Shannon, Miss Addie Fuller, Mrs. Defor Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Golson, Mrs. Emmett Golson, J. F. Clark, Jim Hamilton, J. D. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McCoy and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Webb of Tallulah, Frank Golson, Jr., John M. Breard, Mrs. Floyd Humble, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller, Mrs. Annie Morris, Jack Golson, Rufus Goza, Mr. and Mrs. George Austin and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Hamilton, Kathleen Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Humble and sons, Newt Fuller, Margaret Ann Dowing, Donald Gragsby, Ed Hamer, Brady Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Simmons, Mrs. Mildred Newman, Dr. F. C. Bennett.

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Mrs. Martin Hemler, Jr., Honoree At Tea, Shower

Sixty guests attended an informal tea and shower honoring Mrs. Martin Hemler, Jr., given in the spacious home of Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Jr., in Alto. Mrs. Hemler is the former Miss Ruth Shoemaker.

Hostesses for the lovely affair, Mrs. G. H. Bouler and Miss Annie B. Hughes, received their guests at the door.

Assisting in the courtesies of the afternoon were Mrs. Aubrey O'Neal, Mrs. Howard Alexander, Mrs. George Moon, Mrs. Louis Bledsoe and Mrs. Sartor.

Miss Kathleen McKay presided at the huge cut crystal punch bowl, and Miss Camille Frantom, Miss Maudell Roberts, Miss Marjorie McDonald, Miss Edna Roberts and Mrs. R. G. Stowell served canapes and cakes.

Assorted arrangements of early spring flowers were used in the artistic decorations, keynoting the bridal theme. The flowers came from the well-kept gardens of Mrs. P. M. Gaddis, Mrs. C. D. Stewards, Mrs. H. Lindow, Mrs. Howard Alexander and Mrs. Sartor.

Spaced at intervals on the lace-covered dining table were four identical crystal vases, containing fragrant hyacinth. Quince blossoms woven into fern were twined around the bases of the vases, the punch bowl and the silver canape trays. The cakes were shaped cleverly to form the letters in the names "Hemler" and "Shoemaker" and to form tiny wedding bells.

After the refreshments were served, the bride was led into another room where she was presented with numerous beautiful gifts.

A musical program followed. With Mrs. Alexander at the piano, Mrs. Aubrey O'Neal and Mrs. Sartor sang "Love's Old Sweet Song," "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes" and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." Mrs. John A. McCoy then presented a reading, "Three Wishes for a Bride."

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Mrs. Ware Speaks On 'How To Grow Roses'

Mrs. Mike John, Jr., extended hospitality to members of the Readers' Clique when they met in her home Thursday to learn from Mrs. R. O. Ware "How to Grow Roses in the South."

The information Mrs. Ware had for the club was of particular interest, since many members are cultivating rose gardens. Of location for rose beds, Mrs. Ware said: "Roses will do well in any location that receives a few hours of sunshine each day. Place your bushes where they will be in the sun during the morning hours only."

"Preparation for a rose bed should be made with care," she said, "Any good garden soil will raise roses of a sort, but roses must have a bed that is well drained. Do not make your beds too wide, as you should be able to cut the flowers and tend all the bushes without stepping into the bed. A bed 30 inches wide will accommodate two rows and a single row of bushes needs a bed 12 to 16 inches wide. The bushes should be set not more than 18 inches apart."

"After you have planted your roses," Mrs. Ware continued, "they should be carefully pruned. Cut out any broken or bruised canes, and cut back the healthy growth about a third or a half. Roses should not be stimulated during their first season . . . During blooming time, except in the instance of newly planted bushes, roses should be given stimulation by means of fertilizers."

As a precaution against disease Mrs. Wade gave the following advice: "Take out and burn any weak bushes. Dust the bushes to guard agains mildew and black-spot and apply an oil emulsion to bushes diseased with scalo. The foliage of rose bushes is sometimes attacked by chewing and sucking insects. The only way to combat the former is by poisoning them. The best stomach poison is arsenate of lead. The latter are best eradicated by using a nicotine or pyrethrum spray."

Mrs. Clay Albright, president, presided over a short business meeting, during which members of the club set the date for the rummy party. The proceeds are to be used in charity work.

The hostess served refreshments to: Mrs. Clay Albright, Mrs. Clyde C. Blanchard, Mrs. Cecil Blanchard, Mrs. J. Leon Dennis, Mrs. Wesley C. Ekholm, Mrs. Burl Hollis, Mrs. X. Holt, Mrs. Raymond John, Mrs. R. C. Kester, Mrs. E. L. Marchman, Mrs. Henry Loeb, Mrs. G. L. Morgan, Mrs. Clay Olbon, Mrs. R. O. Ware, and one guest, Mrs. V. M. Coates.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Breard of Dallas, Tex., announce the arrival of a son, Michael Douglas, in their home.

Morgan-Killian Rites Are Performed Sunday

Of much interest to friends was the marriage of Miss Pearl Elizabeth Killian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Killian of this city, and Mr. Howard H. Morgan, son of Mrs. Gussie Morgan, also of this city. The ceremony was solemnized Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, January 12, at the Gordon Avenue Methodist church, with Rev. J. M. Alford former pastor and Rev. W. A. Cross, pastor performing the ceremony. The altar was banked with Picardy gladioli and woodwardia ferns.

While the guests were assembling a prenuptial concert was rendered by the pianist, Mrs. Herbert Spruell, and the violinist, Mr. Edgar Hoskins. Mrs. Charles Chapman sang "Because."

The bride's sister, Miss Roxie Killian of Winnsboro, served as maid of honor. She wore a sea blue crepe model with dusty pink accessories and a corsage of Picardy gladioli.

The bridesmaids were Miss Helen Mims and Miss Kate Strother. Miss Mims wore a Dubrie crepe model with Madeira blue accessories. Miss Strother wore a rose crepe model with black accessories. Both were corsages of gladioli.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a Madeira blue crepe model with advanced spring model hat of camellia pink and a corsage of pink gladioli.

Mr. Owen Hankins served in the capacity of best man.

Harvey Lee McFalls was ringbearer.

Following the wedding an informal reception was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High school and Simmons' Business school and for the past several years has been connected with the local National Farm Loan association. The bridegroom is connected with the Williams Construction company.

After a short honeymoon the couple will be at home to their friends at 3404 Polk street.

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Mrs. Barton Honored At Coffee Hour Here

One of the most gracious compliments bestowed by Monroe hostesses last week was the coffee hour in the home of Mrs. W. E. Smith with Mrs. Phil Dunning, co-hostess, and Mrs. A. J. Barton of Rutherford, Tenn., the guest of honor.

The guests, numbering fifty or more gathered in conversational groups in the flower adorned living room where Mrs. Barton was the central figure.

Coffee was served in the dining room where Mrs. Hugh Davis and Mrs. C. G. Ammer presided over the beautifully appointed table. Rose colored camellias in plaque formation with myriad pastel shaded tapers burning in their midst formed the central floral theme.

Trays laden with individual rolls and cocktail sousages canapes, pastries and luscious little cakes frosted in the pastel shades, were passed among the guests.

Mrs. Shaw Is Guest At Numerous Affairs Here

Charming Former Resident Of Monroe Is Popular Visitor In Home Of Mrs. Walter Black

Informal entertaining last week centered around charming visitor in the city, Mrs. Franklin Shaw of Charlotte, N. C., who is a guest in the home of Mrs. Walter Black.

Mrs. Shaw, a former resident of this city, where she served as president of the Junior Charity league for a year, is a great favorite in Monroe. Her visit was marked last week by numerous social courtesies outstanding being Mrs. Ralph King's coffee hour, Friday morning in her home on North Third street.

All formality, including the ritual of pouring coffee was dispensed with and the guests invited to help themselves to the luscious confections temptingly arrayed on low coffee tables in the reception suite. Beautiful spring flowers were arranged with exceeding artistry throughout Mrs. King's home.

Mrs. Morris Haas, Mrs. Cecil Jarrell, Mrs. Wesley Shafto and Mrs. Gordon Surguine assisted Mrs. King in extending courtesies.

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Members of Teflis Grotto, a group of genial and gallant gentlemen, have offered to sponsor the President's Birthday ball on the night of February 1, on the terrace of the Frances hotel and request that the public generally co-operate in making this year's event one of the most brilliant of any that have gone before. Mr. David Carter is the chairman of the Teflis Grotto committee and is being given valuable assistance by members of the ball committee, Miss Mary Benoit, Mrs. Howell Heard, Mrs. A. N. Robinson, Mr. J. Norman Coon and Mr. Roy Q. Cole.

Mrs. Leaming Attends Club Directors Meeting

Mrs. Fenn A. Leaming, president of L. F. W. C., left on the fifteenth for Washington, D. C., where she attended the annual mid-winter meeting of the board of directors of the General Federation. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, national president of G. F. W. C.

Dr. Harriet Elliot, the only woman member of the National Defense Advisory commission, was guest speaker on Wednesday evening. She brought the women an interesting talk on the more important phases of consumer problems.

One session was given over to Pan-American interest, and this meeting was held in the Pan-American building.

An eagerly anticipated event of the board meeting was the tea at the White House. This year Mrs. Roosevelt received the members at 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon.

One of the outstanding forums conducted this year was devoted to the Golden Jubilee and the Triennial convention to be held in Atlantic City next May. Those participating in this forum were: Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, Mrs. Patrick Henry Adams, Mrs. Harlan A. Pratt and other chairmen carrying on the Golden Jubilee work.

More than 125 leaders from every state in the Union attended the board meeting, which was again held at the Hotel Mayflower.

The Louisiana club women will be happy to know that Mrs. C. E. Hester, past president of L. F. W. C., has been appointed national chairman of Penny Art fund, filling the unexpired term of Mrs. D. H. Christman of Shreveport.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Davidson left last night for their annual marketing trip in New York, combining business with pleasure.

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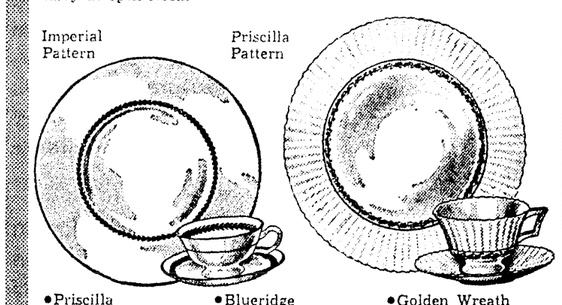

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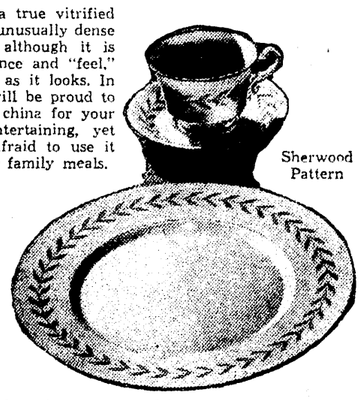

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Mrs. J. J. Potts Guest Speaker At January Meeting Of Monroe Garden Club

Instructive Address Is Based On Travels

Visit To Famous Buildings And Gardens In Virginia Described; Mrs. William Harper Is Hostess

Mrs. J. J. Potts, world traveler and noted authority on gardens, was the guest speaker at the January meeting of the Monroe Garden Club in the home of Mrs. William Harper.

Mrs. Potts gave an interesting and instructive talk based on her travels, stressing the tours conducted by garden clubs in this country. Speaking of her visit in Virginia she said: "We stopped in Williamsburg to see the famous buildings and gardens restored in recent years. I was more impressed with the beauty of the homes and the furnishings than with the gardens, which, however, were quite lovely. We went from Williamsburg to Newport News and then by ship to New York. In New York we were graciously received by garden club members and taken on a tour of pent house gardens, which in many cases, had been planned and executed by the men of the families.

"From New York we went to Boston. We saw lovely gardens here and an unusual variety of yellow roses and yellow azaleas. I found that many New England cities seemed to specialize in peonies. They grew in profusion in many gardens. While in Boston, we visited "The Botanical Museum" where we saw the famous collection of glass flowers. These flowers are amazingly beautiful and carried out to the minutest detail. The art of making these flowers has been handed down in one family from generation to generation.

"From Massachusetts, we went to Portsmouth, New Hampshire, the headquarters of the National Garden Club Convention. The theme of the entire meeting was conservation in all its phases.

"We were privileged to hear many excellent lectures on this subject. Various clubs had arranged exhibit rooms which were changed each day. The different states had been asked to send state flowers and attractive arrangements had been made of these. Many states had also sent appropriate souvenirs to be given each guest. While in Portsmouth, we noted many unusual blue and pink gardens. We reluctantly left the New England states which in all ways, had measured up to our expectations.

"In Montreal, Canada, we visited a Mr. Morgan's home and garden where we saw many unusual plants brought from the Argentine, Egypt, and other distant places. He explained that he had been working and evolving his plans for his gardens over a period of forty years.

"During the latter part of July, we were in Alaska. In this region, the growing season is short, but plants grow rapidly due to the moisture in the soil and the hot rays of the sun. We were told that sweet peas grew six inches in twenty-four hours."

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Potts listed various instructive helps gained from her discussions with authorities on these Garden club tours.

At the completion of the regular business, Mrs. T. C. Rowland, horticulturist chairman, conducted a "question box" at which time members asked and answered questions pertaining to gardening for the month of January.

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Honoring Mrs. Martin Hemler, Jr., a recent bride, and Mrs. R. G. Stowell, who soon will make her home in St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. C. L. Hargrave entertained recently with a spaghetti supper in her home on Sterlington road.

Twenty guests attended the charming informal affair.

Centering the dining table, overlaid with a crochet cloth, was a reflector arrangement of yellow buttom mums. Favors were tiny going-away bags.

A conversational hour followed the delicious supper.

MRS. J. W. COOPER . . .

Mrs. Cooper, a bride of recent date, was formerly Miss Mildred Brown of this city.

Federation Searches For Pioneer Workers

The General Federation of Women's clubs is conducting a nation-wide search for its pioneer workers, and during the Federation's Golden Jubilee convention in Atlantic City next May, these women will be honored with impressive ceremonies and the presentation of elaborate gold medals. Some remarkable records of service and leadership have already been discovered and additional entries are coming in almost daily, according to Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, first vice-president of the federation, and general chairman of the Golden Jubilee. The entries already include one woman who is 95 years of age, also at least one woman who was present when the federation was organized, April 24, 1890, in New York City.

Three medals will be awarded: one for the longest continuous membership in a federated club, one for the longest and most outstanding record of leadership in a federated club, and one to a pioneer not now living but who rendered the longest continuous service. Preliminary contests to determine these pioneer medal winners have been held in every state in the Union, in the 387 districts, and in a large number of the more than 16,000 clubs belonging to the General Federation. Winners in these preliminary contests have received bronze, silver, and gold medals, totaling 3,600.

More than $5,000 has been contributed to the federation through the Golden Jubilee birthday parties and patriotic celebrations. This sum has been added to the Million Dollar Foundation fund which the federation is raising, and which now totals over $263,000. This is a sinking fund and only the interest from it is used in carrying on the work of the federation. Cash prizes totaling $350 will be awarded at Atlantic City to clubs, districts, and states making the largest per capita contribution to this fund.

Still another cash prize of $50 is offered to the young woman between the ages of 18 and 30 who submits the best design for the cover of the historical souvenir brochure which will be distributed at the Jubilee convention. Cash prizes have already been awarded for the best federation song and the best federation march.

In addition to regular program features, the Golden Jubilee convention will offer a gigantic pageant depicting woman's progress during the past 50 years. A great chorus which is expected to embrace 1,000 voices, more than 700 already being registered, will be conducted by Miss Gena Branscombe of New York City, celebrated composer and conductor. America's most popular radio forum, America's Town Meeting of the Air, has been secured for one of the evening programs and will be presided over by the president of Town Hall, Inc., Mr. George V. Denny, Jr.

Junior club women will come into their own at this convention. Not only will they have a conspicuous part in the program, but they will stage a spectacular rolling chair parade in Atlantic City's world famous auditorium. Each state will enter a chair decorated in its state flower, and in each chair will ride the junior chosen to represent her state. On the basis of appearance, club service, and promise of future leadership, one of these state representatives will be chosen to appear on the platform of the convention and preside with the president of the General Federation over the evening session.

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Friends will regret to learn of the illness of Mr. Murphy Jones who is confined at home.

Officers Installed By Spanish War Auxiliary

Officers for 1941 were installed at a meeting Friday evening of Thompson Wood Lee Auxiliary No. 10, United Spanish War Veterans.

Mrs. Stella Courtney, outgoing president, called the meeting to order, and presented a report of her year's work. A considerable gain in membership was reported. Among the many worthwhile projects carried out under the capable guidance of Mrs. Courtney was the purchase of "Americanism" cards which are to be framed and presented to the schools of Monroe, and also to the negro high school. A flag will be given a WPA kindergarten school in West Monroe, Mrs. Courtney announced. Gifts of money to various charitable organizations, and baskets taken to poor and sick were recounted. A check for veterans in the hospital in Alexandria was presented Thanksgiving.

Impressive installation services followed Mrs. Mamie C. Arnette, vice-president of the department of Louisiana conducted the service.

The following were installed: President, Mrs. Minnie Mangham; senior vice-president, Mrs. Eula Morgan; junior vice-president, Mrs. Lerto May Davis; chaplain, Mrs. Mary Hood; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Georgie Kelley; historian, Mrs. Alera McKee; conductor, Mrs. Evie Johnson; assistant conductor, Mrs. Beatrice Harper; guard, Mrs. Stella Ross; assistant guard, Mrs. Clara B. Monroe; musician, Mrs. Mamie Ross; secretary, Mrs. Stella Courtney; treasurer Mrs. Mamie Arnette.

The lovely pin of the past president was presented Mrs. Courtney by Mrs Alma McKee. The camp's commander, Dr. P. M. Gayle, on behalf of the camp, presented Mrs. Courtney with a beautiful gift as a token of appreciation of her loyalty and cooperation during her term of office.

Mrs. Mangham, the new president, was the former second president of Thompson Wood Lee Auxiliary and has been active in building up the organization and assisting members in their patriotic and charitable endeavors.

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Central Grammar School P.-T. A. Meeting Held

The January meeting of the P.-T. A. of Central Grammar school was held the past week with a good attendance present. Mrs. W. R. Windham, president, presided, and urged that every possible effort be exerted to increase the membership and to get additional magazines in homes.

Following the opening exercises, the reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved.

Announcement was made of a fifth district P.-T. A. meeting to be held at the Ouachita Parish High school at a date to be announced later. Mrs. Windham urged that there be a large and representative attendance.

A bingo party planned for February 1 was postponed until a later date.

Members were urged to attend the Social Hygiene day program at Hotel Frances, February 4.

Four-A grade, taught by Mrs. Virginia Butler, presented two folk dance numbers, "Yankee Doodle" and "O, Suzannah."

Attention was called to a National Broadcasting company progrem each Monday for 13 weeks on the theme of patriotism, and Louisiana history will be stressed in broadcasts that will be announced weekly from time to time. The first one was given January 17 at 1:30 p.m.

The group was urged to cooperate in securing a Cub club, composed of boys from 9 to 11 years of age who are too young to enroll in the Boy Scouts.

Society Calendar

Monday

Meeting of the Miro Book Club with Mrs. A. L. Peters, Edgewater Gardens, 2:30 p.m.

Crosley P.-T. A. will present John McCormick, attorney, in radio talk on "Citizenship," over KMLB. 5:30 p.m.

Meeting of Literary Guild with Mrs. P. L. Perot. 2:30 p.m.

Meeting of Review club with Mrs. C. A. Nenney, St. John street. 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Leola Nixon of Ruston, guest speaker.

Meeting of Rebecca lodge number 66. Initiation. 7:30 p.m.

Benefit bingo party at Labor temple sponsored by Label League. 8 p.m. Public is invited.

Meeting of Louise McGuire chapter O. E. S. 7:30 p.m.

The Sophomore Girl Reserves of the Y. W. C. A. will have a call meeting at the "Y. W." at 4 p. m.

Tuesday

First Christian Church women's council will meet as follows: No. 1 circle, with Mrs. A. B. Greenlee, 2704 Gordon avenue; No. 2 circle, with Mrs. W. W. Boxley, 213 Louise Ann; No. 3 circle, with Mrs. A. M. Kite, 1018 North Sixth.

Meeting of Dixie Welfare club with Mrs. Hazel DeWess, 317 Morris. 7:30 p.m.

Regular monthly program meeting of Woman's Missionary union, First Baptist church, in the auditorium at 3:15.

Wednesday

Meeting of Twentieth Century Book club with Mrs. L. N. Larche. 2:30 p.m.

The Monroe Literary Club will meet Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. M. W. Montgomery, 2706 South Grand street.

The Pelican Book and Study club will meet with Mrs. A. B. Golson, 108 Slack street, at 2:15 p.m.

The Business and Professional Girls club of the Y. W. C. A. will meet at the Y. W. C. A., 6:30 p. m.

The Triad club of the Girl Reserves will meet at the home of Shirley Koplan, 305 Auburn, at 4 p. m.

The Business and Professional Girls' club will meet at the "Y. W." at 6:30 p. m.

The Blue Triangle club will meet at 4 p. m.

Thursday

Meeting of Lida Benton P.-T. A., 3:15 p. m.

Friday

The Senior and Junior Girl Reserves' party at the "Y" at 7:30 p. m

Saturday

There will be a call meeting of the Inter-club Council of the Girl Reserves at the "Y" at 10:30 a. m.

Saturday—February 1

President's Birthday ball on the terrace of the Frances hotel. Teffis Grotto members will act as hosts. Public is invited. 9 p. m.

Saturday—February 8

Junior Charity League Valentine ball at the Virginia hotel. 9 p. m. Public is invited.

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Miss Doris Doss And Clancy Lloyd Married

A wedding in which the interest of friends is centered is that of Miss Doris Doss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Doss, and Mr. Clancy E. Lloyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lloyd of South Bend, Ind., in the Mirror room of the Frances hotel, January 6.

The bride was attended by Miss Verda Kelly, Miss Lila Austin and Miss Opal Rhodes, all of whom wore early spring models with corsages of pink carnations.

Mr. Claude C. Crow, Jr., served as best man. The groomsmen were Mr. Jack St. John, Mr. Ted Hinkey and Mr. Charles Boyer.

The bride wore a lovely early spring model of black crepe with silver fox furs and camelia pink accessories and an off-the-face, camelia pink hat with black veil. A corsage of pink carnations was worn.

For something old she wore a handsome antique brooch, a gift from the bride-groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd are now at home to their friends at 1115 Jackson street, this city.

Mrs. Lloyd is a graduate of the Crossett High school and Mr. Lloyd is a graduate of the Winamac High school, Winamac, Ind.

Miss Bergevin Talks To Art Association

Miss Mary Bergevin, prominent young artist of this city gave an illuminating and interesting talk on "Modern Art" before members of the Monroe Art association when they met in the home of Mrs. H. R. Saenger for their regular January program.

Miss Bergevin said in part:

"Modern art may be explained by saying that it is concerned with the nature of emotional content rather than with qualities of imitation, of lofty subject matter and great display of technical ability. In other words, one must not look for likeness to a model.

"Correct representation and technical dexterity must be subordinated and made the servants of the artist so that he can strive for the soul of art. This is comparable to a musician who must not only have technique on the piano and be able to read music, but must be able to sway his audience by the soul or feeling he puts into his playing.

"The modernists have made clear that it was overemphasis upon exact representation of the object or model which brought the art world to such a sterile time in the 19th century.

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South's Fiction Works Discussed By A. A. U. W.

University Women Hear Interesting Talks In Meeting At Home Of Mrs. Elmer Slagle

An interesting meeting of the American Association of University Women was held at the home of Mrs. Elmer Slagle with Misses Beatrice Erickson, Alice Daimwood and Frances Michie, co-hostesses.

Mrs. C. C. Colvert, president, presided during the business meeting. The local A. A. U. W. branch voted on a relief fund to be sent to the British University Women immediately. Dr. Julia Hunter stressed the need of all members to attend the Social Hygiene meeting which will be held in Monroe February 4. Miss Mary Clay, fellowship chairman, gave a report from her committee, and told of plans that are being made to increase the fellowship fund for this section. Committee members of fellowship spoke on the need of a fellowship fund.

The program given during the evening with Miss Frances Flanders as chairman was noteworthy. "Fiction in the South" was the theme of the program. Miss Flanders discussed fiction in the South before 1900. Fictional writing appeared in the South only during the nineteenth century. The writers did much to shape the course of public opinion in the day in which they lived. Soon after the revolution novel reading began to increase with great rapidity, and native novelists appeared. George Tucker, of Virginia, was one of the first Southern novelists. His novels, "The Valley of the Shenandoah," and "A Voyage to the Moon." Beverly Tucker, a cousin of George Tucker, wrote novels during the 1830's, important ones being "George Balcombe," "Partisan Leader," and "Gertrude." John Pendleton Kennedy, another Southern novelist, patterned his work upon that of Washington Irving, his great friend and admirer. Kennedy's novels, "Swallow-barn," "Horse Shoe Robinson" and "Rob of the Bowl," were clear in style, and depended on facts. William Gilmore Simms was the first outstanding novelist. His significant works were "Martin Faber," "The Yemassee," "Gay Rivers" and "The Cassique of Kiawah." John Esten Cooke of Virginia wrote his novels concerning his native state. "Leather Stocking and Silk," "The Last of the Foresters," and "Surry of Eagles Nest." Cooke liked to write historical romances in his last years. "St. Elmo," by Sugusta Jane Evans, was a best seller in the years following the Civil war. George Washington Cable of New Orleans wrote "Old Creole Days," and "Grandissimes." New Orleans people objected to Cable's picture of Creole life. Mary Johnston drew much of the material for her novels from her father's papers and personal recollections of the Civil war. Her best novels were "The Log Roll," "Cease Firing." Miss Johnson's power of description was wonderful.

Miss Virginia Sue Fields talked on fiction in the South from 1900 to 1930. She said:

"Mary Murfree, whose pen name was Charles Elgbert Craddox, was a Tennessee writer who developed outstanding literary tastes and capabilities. Her writings are marked by an originality of style and method that place her among the creative authors of America. Some of her books are, 'The Story of Old Fort London,' 'The Spectre of Power,' 'The Windfall,' and 'The Fair Mississippian.'

"Charles Nelson Page of Virginia wrote in order to bring about a better understanding between the North and South and finally lead to a more perfect union. His best known books are 'Mars Chan,' 'In Ole Virginia,' 'Two Little Confederates' and 'Among the Camp.'

"Mary Johnston is best known as the author of romances based on early American history. Alice Hegon Rice of Kentucky was author of 'Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch,' 'Lovely Mary' and 'Quinn.' George Madden Martin of Kentucky likes contrast and variety in her stories. 'The Story of Don Soldier' and 'Emmy Lou' are considered her best books. Ellen Glasgow's 'The Voice of the People,' 'The Deliverence,' 'The Ancient Law' are characteristized by painstaking effort, strength and sincerity of purpose—Molly Elliot Searvell developed a number of types of fiction—stories of the American navy, of Virginia before and after the Civil war. She could create both character and atmosphere. 'Virginia Cavalier,' 'The Victory,' 'Secret of Toni,' and 'Betty's Virginia Christmas' are her best books of fiction."

Fiction in the South since 1930 was discussed by Miss Louise Gray. She said: "Fiction is an easier medium by which to gain descriptions of unfamiliar people, communities and periods than the serious literature of history and the subject fields. It serves to make possible a sympathetic understanding of unfamiliar periods, groups and environments. Lyle Saxon, of Louisiana, is an authority on the history and background of the state. 'Children of Strangers' is one of his most popular books. William Faulkner and Stark Young of Mississippi have written interesting books concerning the south. Caroline Miller and Margaret Mitchell of Georgia have gained much popularity. Caroline Gordon and Elizabeth Madox Roberts of Kentucky show early Southern life in their books. 'The Great Meadow,' by Miss Roberts is well worth reading. Stribling, Cormer and Childers are Alabama writers. Stribling's novel, 'The Forge,' which was published in 1931 is the first of three novels which he plans as a Southern cycle. Dubose Heyward, Bradford, Gordon, Thomas Wolfe, and G. W. Johnson are other noted Southern writers. 'Soldier of Good Fortune,' by Ruth Cross and 'Deep Summer,' by Gwen Bristow, are books about the early settling of territory. 'The Fathers,' by Allen Tate, centers before and during the Civil war. 'Gone With the Wind,' by Margaret Mitchell, is one of the finest Civil war epics of all times. 'So Red the Rose,' by Stark Young, is centered about a family near Natchez, Miss. Periods in history which have been clearly given in recent books are the Colonial Period, Frontier and Pioneer Life, Revolutionary Period, War Between the States, Old South, and the Reconstruction period."

Miss Thesta Ann Walker gave a review of "Wind, Sand and Stars," by Antoine de Saint Exupury.

During the tea hour, following the program, Mrs. Colvert presided over the silver urns gracing the refreshment table. An oblong plaque of rose-colored camellias formed the floral note.

Mrs. Slagle was assisted in the dining room by Misses Michie, Daimwood, and Erickson in serving the following guests: Dr. Julia Hunter, Mrs. P. R. Hawkins, Mrs. John C. Carnes, Mrs. John Coon, Miss Mima Babington, Miss Dean McKoin, Mrs. Ivy Jordan, Miss Louise Gray, Miss Cleta Wood, Miss Frances Flanders, Miss Zelda Moss, Miss Carrie Stevenson, Miss Hazel Mitchell, Mrs. S. H. Womack, Miss Josephine McCranie, Mrs. Charles Smith, Miss Bernice Mae Wadsworth, Miss Audrey Evans, Miss Virginia Carlton, Miss Thesta Ann Walker, Miss Frances Kelso, Miss Virginia Sue Fields, Miss Mary Clay, Miss Kate Perkins, Mrs. Lester Pierce, Mrs. Carrie Dee Drew, Mrs. Bess Sharp, Miss Sara McFatt, Miss Myrtle Fedderee, Mrs. Henry Perritt and Miss Lucyle Gorham.

THREE YOUNG BRIDES . . .

Among recent brides is Mrs. Harold G. Dickens to the left, a sophomore at Louisiana Tech, who is the former Miss Claudean Cogdell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cogdell of Delhi. The bridegroom, a junior guard on last season's football squad at Tech, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dickens of Waverly. The couple plan to continue their studies at Tech. Mrs. Lamar Reeves, center, the former Miss Betty Mount, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mount of Ruston, became the bride of Lamar Reeves, Pensacola, Fla., in that city on December 24. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reeves of Marion. The couple will make their home in Pensacola. To the right is Mrs. Jack Jaggers, formerly Miss Iva Carmack, whose marriage, performed recently at Choudrant, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carmack of Little Rock, Ark. The bridegroom, a senior at Louisiana Tech, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jaggers. The bride is a former journalism student at Tech and the bridegroom was captain of the football team at the college in 1939.

Music Program Given By Fine Arts Club

Music flooded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barlow Inabnett when members of the Fine Arts club were delightfully entertained with a program featuring "Louisiana Music," presented under the direction of Mr. Charles Gottschalk.

Mr. Paul Doet, instructor of French at Northeast Junior college, gave a few introductory remarks, telling of French life as reflected in Louisiana folk songs. He spoke of the three types of folk songs, namely the original French songs brought to this country from France or from Canada. Those from the coast of France reflect marine life and those from the prairie seek to depict the life of the farmer. The Cajun folk songs are those composed by the Cajun French in Louisiana and rightfully belong to Louisiana alone. These were not all written, but sung from memory by the people of a locality. Many of them are love songs, usually composed by a lover who addresses his petition to the parents of his fair one. Some contain the humor of a jilted lover who intends to mount his horse and leave for a far-away land. Another type of folk song is that of the negro-Creole. These deal with the subject of slave and master.

Mrs. Charles Goudchell sang two charming French folk songs, "Musieu Barjo" and "Zezin," accompanied by Mrs. Leon Hammond, pianist.

Miss Ladelle Duke played a piano composition by Gottschalk titled "Ricordati." She also play Gottschalk's arrangement of Vashti R. Stopher's "Song of Louisiana."

Mrs. Pearl Newman Gave a vocal solo, "Rapid Song." Mrs. Everett Lawson accompanied her at the piano.

Mrs. Clyde R. Perigo sang "To My Mother" by Robert McGimsey, accompanied by Mrs. Lawson.

Original compositions by members of the Fine Arts club were given at the close of the program.

Piano composition, by Leon Hammond.

Piano composition, "Moods" by Mrs. E. Everett Lawson.

Clarinet compositions composed by Harry M. Lenert "Gavotte" and "Minuet" were rendered by Mr. Lenert, Mr. Howard Bushnell, Miss Marjorie Moore, and Mr. Bennie Hixon.

Piano composition "Valse Caprice" by Mrs. Doris Selig.

Following the program Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brannet, assisted by Miss Elenor Brannacle and Mrs. Fred Thatcher, served delicious refreshments to the following members and guests: Mrs. C. C. Carroll, Mr. Joe Cross, Miss Ladelle Duke, Mrs. Charles Goudchell, Mr. Leon Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lawson, Mr. Roy Henderson, Miss Louise Gray, Mr. Harry Lenert, Miss May Read, Miss Marjie Moore, Mr. Bennie Hixon, Mr. Howard Bushnell, Mrs. Henry Mayo, Mrs. Alma Woodham, Mrs. B. L. Mulhern, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newman, Dr. Leslie Norton, Miss Cliffie Olmstead, Mrs. Clyde Pedigo, Mrs. Dean Selig, Mrs. Ben J. Stern, Mrs. W. J. Veazey, Mr. Paul Alcide Duet, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Parker, Miss Buelah Doerr, and Mrs. Alice Christian, Decatur, Georgia.

Sherrouse P.-T. A. Meets In Auditorium

The January meeting of the Sherrouse Parent-Teacher association was held Wednesday afternoon in the school auditorium with Mrs. C. C. Lindley, president, presiding.

The national president's message was read by Mrs. Guy Duffuor.

The guest speaker at this time was Dr. A. M. Fleeman who spoke on "The Civic Obligation of the Church to the Community." A large number of members were privileged to hear this splendid talk.

Two new members were welcomed at this time. Reports from the various committees, were given. One report in particular was that of the work chairman, Mrs. C. P. Horton. She stated that the association had met all the necessary requirement of the organization up to the present time.

A most enjoyable social hour concluded the meeting during which Mrs. L. W. Batten and Mrs. C. O. Welch served delicious refreshments.

Miss Brunson Host To Mangham Literary Club

Members of the Mangham Junior Literary club met with Miss Faye Brunson in the home of Mrs. A. C. Brunson Wednesday night.

Officers were elected for next club year as follows: president, Miss Janet Hixon; vice-president, Miss Faye Brunson; recording secretary, Mrs. F. A. Childress; corresponding secretary and parliamentarian, Mrs. G. C. Kitchens; reporter, Miss Bessie Noble.

Speaking on the influence of environment on crime, Miss Ola Cooper said, in part: "Vicious environment is a fruitful source of criminality. Some authorities say that there is little evidence to snow that crime is inherited. It is true that crime does run in certain families, but it is usually because of bad examples set by parents and the unwholesome nature of the surroundings.

"The program for reducing crime will surely require an attack upon all those conditions in our society which now prevent the majority of the people from enjoying an adequate standard of living."

In the absence of Mrs. G. C. Kitchens, Mrs. N. L. Blair read a paper on prisons and reformatories, disclosing many interesting facts regarding good and bad conditions which exist in our institutions of today.

Miss Bessie Noble talked on the home, in place of Mrs. F. A. Childress, who was unable to be present. Miss Noble stressed the importance of improving homes and family life as a measure against crime and criminal offenses.

Mrs. A. C. Brunson and Mrs. A. P. Parham assisted the hostess in serving refreshments to the following members: Mrs. N. L. Blair, Miss Faye Brunson, Miss Ola Cooper, Mrs. J. P. Freiser, Mrs. R. Gieger, Miss Janet Hixon, Mrs. R. L. Matthews, Jr., Mrs. John McElwee, Miss Bessie Noble, Miss Ada Preston, Miss Marjorie Wooten.

Monroe Women Named On National Committees

News of interest in patriotic circles is the announcement just made of the appointment of two Monroe women, Mrs. Stella Courtney and Mrs. Mamie C. Arnette, to serve on important committees of the national auxiliary of the United Spanish American War Veterans.

Mrs. Courtney was appointed chairman of the emblem committee and Mrs. Arnette was appointed chairman of the seals committee. Another Louisiana woman, Mrs. Lucy Favrot of Baton Rouge was apointed chairman of hositalization.

Mrs. Favrot is past president of the Louisiana department of U. S. W. V. and keenly interested in the Leper colony at Carville as well as hospitals for veterans.

The appointment of these three Louisiana women on national committees is a distinct honor as it is the first time Louisiana has been recognized in this manner.

Announcement has been made that the national president, Mrs. Betty Bassett of California, will pay an official visit to the Louisiana department in the near future. Members of the Twin Cities auxiliary have extended an invitation to Mrs. Bassett to visit Monroe during her southern tour.

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Of interest to friends in this city is the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Townsend of Minden, La., of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn Townsend to Mr. Grey S. Barham, December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Barham are now at home to their friends in Springhill, La., where Mr. Barham is associated with the Southern Kraft Mill.

Mrs. Barham is a graduate of the Minden high school and the Louisiana State Normal and for the past several years has been a member of the Springhill school faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Spaulding of Colorado Springs completed a visit in the home of their brother, Mr. Ben F. Kizer and left last week for Wichita, Kan., where they will visit in the home of Mrs. H. H. Wulf.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jack Selig are enjoying a visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Martin Fuhrer of Chicago. Mr. Selig is attending the national convention of the National Retail Clothiers of which he is a director.

The Senior and Junior Girl Reserves met at the Y. W. C. A. for the January meeting. In the absence of the president, Evelyn Aden presided. The devotional, Psalm 121, was given by Blanche Ferrington. Plans for a social affair January 24, were presented by Craig Matthews and discussed by the group. A report of the Inter-club Council meeting was given by Elizabeth Humble. Frances Baldwin led the group in the singing of several Girl Reserve songs. The meeting was closed with the code, slogan, and purpose.

The Triad club and the Blue Triangle club of the Girl Reserves held a joint meeting at the "Y" on Wednesday with Shirley Kaplan, president of the Triad club, presiding. The devotional was given by Helen Hooper Stein. Plans for the recognition ceremonial for the Triad club was discussed. The ceremonial will be February 9th, at 5:30 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chatham of Monroe returned home Saturday after a visit to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hester of San Antonio, Tex.

Members of the Junior Charity League are now deep in plans for their Valentine Charity ball in the crystal ballroom of the Virginia hotel on the night of February 8. Mrs. George Snelling, Jr., president of the League, is the general chairman.

Tullos

The Woman's Society of Christian service met at the church. After the spiritual life meeting conducted by Mrs. Cain, the assembly sang "Take Time To Be Holy." Mrs. Brewer had charge of the missionary program. Those having parts were Mrs. Fred Whitten, Mrs. Theodore Tannehill, Mrs. H. E. Mayes and Mrs. W. O. Weaver. Several business matters were discussed and the meeting was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Brewer. Members present were Mrs. H. E. Mayes, Mrs. Jerome Cain, Mrs. Theodore Tannehill, Mrs. T. M. Rabb, Mrs. E. O. Brown, Fern Benson, Mrs. E. R. Brewer, Mrs. W. O. Weaver and Mrs. Fred Whitten.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Underwood, Baton Rouge, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith.

Mrs. W. R Womble, Winnfield, visited her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Bardin, and Mr. Bardin.

Mrs. W. O. Weaver, Mrs. W. H. Rice, Mrs. Jimmie Bardin and little daughter, Mary Ann, visited in Winnfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trice, Mooringsport, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Milam.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sims were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Van Odom, and Mr. Odom, Monroe.

Nick Medina visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Medina, in Jena.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mayes and Fern Benson visited in Winnfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bardin had as their guests Mrs. W. A. Taunton and Mrs. Ernest Gulley, Marion, and Mrs. W. R. Womble and Mrs. Teal Calhoun, Winnfield.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bolton, Monroe, Hamp Law, Jr., Mrs. T. L. LeBaron and Jackie LeBaron visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed in Coushatta.

Mrs. Edith Walden returned home from a visit with her son, Theo Walden, and Mrs. Walden in Pattonsville, Ark. She was accompanied by her son and Russell Gaines, Blytheville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal DePriest were the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert DePriest, and little son, Bill, in Jonesboro.

Mrs. J. E. Godfrey entertained the members of the Follies Bridge club at the Placid club house. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. O. G. Milam and second high to Mrs. J. C. Lazer. At the conclusion of the game refreshments were served to Mrs. Glen Tyrrell, Mrs. Jimmie Bardin, Mrs. T. M. Rabb, Mrs. O. G. Milam, Mrs. H. H. Stewart, Mrs. Harvey Griffith, Mrs. J. C. Lazer and Mrs. W. H. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Milam and children, Janet and John Dan, visited Mrs. Milam's parents, Mr. D. W. White and Mr. Milam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Milam, in Tullos.

Science has produced an electronic telescope which enables man to see in the dark with the aid of infra-red rays and others magnify distant scenes.

RECENT BRIDE . . .

Mrs. Vaughan Payne, whose marriage has just been announced by her mother, Mrs. R. J. Coley of Baton Rouge. Mr. Payne is the son of Mrs. C. C. Carroll of this city.

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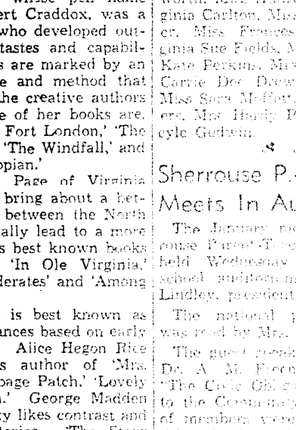

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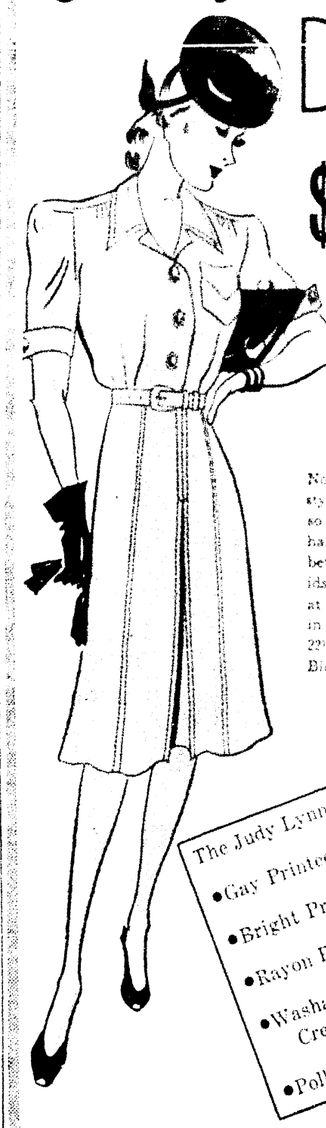

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Announcement Made Of Bryan-Colvin Marriage

Of great interest to their many friends throughout North Louisiana, is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Leta Colvin, of Jonesboro, and Lieutenant J. E. Bryan, Jr., of Calhoun, which took place at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, January 11, in the home of Rev. H. H. McBride, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Winnfield.

Mrs. Bryan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Colvin, Sr., of Jonesboro, her father being publisher of the Jackson Independent, Jonesboro. She is a graduate of Jonesboro-Hodge High School, class of 1939, and the following year attended Louisiana Tech, at Ruston.

Lieutenant Bryan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bryan, Sr., of Calhoun, La. He is serving a year in the army, being located at Camp Livingston, Alexandria. Lieutenant Bryan is on leave of absence from Alabama Tech for one year, after which time he and Mrs. Bryan will return to Auburn, Ala., where he will resume his duties as a member of the Tech faculty.

Welcome Branch Book Club Studies Ecuador

Mrs. Pedigo, Mrs. Hornberger And Mrs. Petty Hostesses To Members Of Local Group

The interesting countries of Ecuador and Colombia in South America were studied by members of the Welcome Branch Book Club when they met Wednesday at the Frances Hotel with Mrs. C. R. Pedigo, Mrs. W. F. Hornberger and Mrs. J. D. Petty serving as hostesses.

Mrs. M. R. Hausherr took her audience on an imaginary tour from Guayquil to Quito, two important cities in Ecuador. She described the grandeur of the mountain peaks and volcanoes, the luxuriance of tropical flowers, and the immensity of plantations of sugar cane, pineapples, and bananas, all of which could be glimpsed from time to time from the train as it wound through the mountains and plateau of the Andes.

Mrs. H. R. Saenger gave a paper on "Quito and Its Art Treasures." She said, "Quito was an artistic center of the first order from its very foundation." As early as 1599, Quito had a great painter, Sanchez Galque, still recognized today. Like many Spanish cities, Quito is a city of churches, and much of its art is found in those churches, she explained.

Mrs. P. B. Collier described Bogota, the capital of Colombia, known as "The Athens of South America" because it is a cultural center. Of particular interest to visitors is the custom of Bogota residents of meeting on street corners to hold lectures, discussions, and friendly visits.

Mrs. L. V. Tarver described Cartagena, an old city in Colombia, known as "the oldest walled city in the New World." She said "Because of its great wealth and resources Cartagena was the coveted prize of pirates and buccaneers almost from its very birth." Mrs. Tarver gave an interesting account of how the history of Cartagena was connected with Mt. Vernon of this country. Lawrence Washington, half brother to George Washington, fought with Admiral Vernon during a seige of Cartagena. So great was his admiration for the Englishman that he named his estate on the Potomac "Mt. Vernon" in his honor. Later George Washington inherited the estate still known as Mt. Vernon.

During the afternoon Mrs. H. K. Kent, accompanied by Mrs. W. C. Hopkins at the piano, sang the "Mi chiselas Aria" from "Carmen," "Je dis que Rien ne" "epouvante," and as an encore, "La Reine" by Stuart and Dumont. Mrs. Hopkins played a piano solo, "Serenade," by Metra.

Highlights of the business meeting, presided over by Mrs. G. D. Holland, president, were the naming of the nominating committee and a report by Mrs. Zell Smith, chairman of the library committee. The nominating committee is Mrs. J. R. White, Mrs. J. Norman Cook, and Mrs. E. Everett Lawson. Mrs. Zell Smith revealed that an article by Mrs. J. R. White on the Welcome Branch library project at the Cooley Sanatorium has been enthusiastically accepted by the "Clubwoman." Such recognition is an honor for the club as well as for Mrs. White.

Two new members were elected, Mrs. Sam Gardner and Mrs. Dan Gray. Reports were heard from Mrs. A. S. Gunter, Mrs. E. E. Landry, Mrs. W. C. Faulk, and Mrs. V. S. Garrett.

Refreshments were served to 36 members and seven guests as follows: Mrs. Clay Aldridge, Mrs. Harvey Cole Jenkins, Mrs. P. B. Collier, Mrs. Hendrix, Mrs. J. C. [illegible], Mrs. E. H. Duncan, Mrs. Wesley Eppes, Mrs. J. T. Lubanz, Mrs. W. C. Faulk, Mrs. V. S. Garrett, Mrs. Ralph Gardner, Mrs. A. S. Gunter, Mrs. M. B. Hendrix, Mrs. J. G. Hoge, Mrs. G. D. Holland, Mrs. W. F. Hornberger, Mrs. C. M. Koontz, Mrs. E. Everett Lawson, Mrs. A. E. Loyd, Mrs. Jack Masur, Mrs. Harry Moore, Mrs. Clyde R. Pedigo, Mrs. Charles R. Morris, Mrs. J. D. Petty, Mrs. George Phebus, Mrs. J. F. Prendergast, Mrs. W. E. Sandel, Mrs. Dean Selig, Mrs. H. R. Saenger, Mrs. Adair Smith, Mrs. Zell Smith, Mrs. Albert Speer, Mrs. Fred W. Tesche, Mrs. Charles Swain, Mrs. L. V. Tarver, Mrs. A. L. Vandergriff, Mrs. J. R. White and Mrs. Paul T. Wright. Guests were Mrs. Paul L. Phillips, Mrs. Robert Ford, Mrs. John H. Parrott, Mrs. William Beam, Mrs. A. E. Kilpatrick, Mrs. H. K. Kent and Mrs. W. C. Hopkins.

Oak Grove

Members of Catron-Kelly Unit No. 52 American Legion auxiliary met at the Hut for a regular meeting presided over by Mrs. G. G. Bardin.

After reports of officers, it was voted that the unit offer a prize and sponsor in the Oak Grove High school the writing of an essay on "Americanism."

Junior Group No. Two, of the American Legion auxiliary met at the residence of the unit's child welfare chairman Mrs. E. E. Hurley, for a regular meeting and to elect officers.

The meeting was presided over by Virginia Ann Keller out-going chairman, and opened with advancing of colors by Leonide Copeland and the singing of "America."

Reports of all officers were given at this time and it was voted the group give two more school flags for their rooms as a part of the "Americanism" project.

The following were selected to act as officers for the coming three-months term: Patricia Jane Copeland, chairman, Barbara Lee Smith, vice-chairman, Margie Keller, secretary, Betty Joe McBride treasurer, Virginia Ann Keller, chaplain, Leonide Copeland and Elva Barron, color bearers.

Members of the Women's Department club met at the residence of Mrs. Frank McCormick with Mrs. William McC Dowsett as co-hostess. Due to illness of the president, Miss Clayton Gunter, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. J. Joyce Jr., first vice-president and opened with advancing of colors by Mrs. C. H. Nash.

The program consisted of an interesting talk on "America, Its Story-Its Hope of Treasures" by Mrs. C. H. Nash.

The [illegible] served by the [illegible] guest, Mrs. Edgar McCormick, president of the Council of Parish Aids of Oak Grove, served a delicious plate and coffee to those in attendance.

The Ezra House Demonstration club met at the residence of Mrs. Otis Lusk with Mrs. Tom LaBauve as co-hostess. Twenty members were present. During the business session Mrs. Leonard Baker gave a report on the national defense program.

The hostess served refreshments to Mrs. D. H. Johnson, Mrs. C. W. Gunter, Mrs. N. J. Flanagan, Mrs. Otis Lusk, Mrs. Leroy Sims, Mrs. Jack Simms, Mrs. Jesse Cullens, Mrs. J. B. Sheppard, Mrs. Tom Tucker, Mrs. Tom LaBauve, Mrs. Wiley Hillman, Mrs. L. B. Lasell, Mrs. F. L. Brock, Mrs. Zelma Simms, Mrs. W. L. Gill, Mrs. Mattie Dyson, Mrs. Lonnie J. Butler, Miss Maxwell Murrie, Miss Janet Lusk and Miss Billie Louise Lusk.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKenzie were Miss Frances Sharp and Miss Lucille Temple, Warren, Ark.

Mrs. Fred Prim has returned home after visiting her parents in Little Rock, Ark.

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fleming have returned to their home in Youngstown, Ohio, after having been guests of relatives here.

Eugene Byargeon, left for Scott Field, Ill., to resume his training in the air corps, after having spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Byargeon.

Mrs. W. H. Keller has returned from Conway, Ark., where she was called by the serious illness of her father.

Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Burnham visited Dr. Burnham's brother, Dr. T. J. Burnham, McGee, Miss., recently.

Mrs. Ed Shillings, Ferdinand, Ind., has returned home after having been a guest of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Gehlhausen, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Floyd Weems and Mrs. Gerald Clough entertained the members of the Cosmopolitan club at the Weems residence recently.

Members and guests enjoyed several games of bridge, with Mrs. V. P. Dalrymple, winning high score, and Miss Valerie McIntosh, second prize. The hostesses served delicious refreshments to the following guests: Mrs. V. P. Dalrymple, Mrs. Charles Parker, Mrs. Jack Torrence, of Baton Rouge, Mrs. M. N. Lipp, and members: Mrs. J. Vernon Sims, Mrs. J. T. Kelly, Mrs. S. H. Campbell, Mrs. Maydie Everett, Mrs. Dorothy Lyon, Mrs. Edgar McCormick, Mrs. M. T. Lipp, Mrs. W. M. Yates, Miss Francis Briggs, Miss Valerie McIntosh, Miss Alene Holland, Miss Sue Williams, Miss Laura Mae Williams, Miss Marjory Dan Kelly, Miss Roberta Reeves.

Mrs. W. M. Yates complimented Mrs. W. H. Mathis, a recent bride of Alexandria, at a bridge party given at the Yates home recently.

The spacious living rooms were decorated in the pink and green color scheme with bowls of pink carnations and ferns placed at vantage points. The hostess presented the honoree with a corsage of pink jonquils and baby breath.

Miss Laura Mae Williams won high score, Mrs. J. B. Brown, Darnell, captured second prize, and Mrs. Maydie Everett, the traveling prize, with Mrs. Mathis cutting high card.

A delicious chicken plate and individual cakes iced in white and bearing the honoree's initials in pink were served to Mrs. Jeff Hunt, Lake Providence; Mrs. John Fudge, Ruston; Mrs. Ellis Womack, Eudora, Ark.; Mrs. C. M. Heath, Darnell, Miss. J. B. McIntosh, Darnell; Mrs. Clyde Posey, Mrs. Maxine Everett, Mrs. J. T. Kelly, Mrs. J. L. McKenzie, Jr., Mrs. Edgar McCormick, Mrs. W. N. Lipp, Mrs. Lovelle Wilson, Mrs. Charles Hope, Mrs. Fred Prim, Mrs. W. C. Hudson, Mrs. T. J. Bradley, Mrs. J. B. Golden, Mrs. Gordon Scott, Mrs. Charles B. Thompson, Mrs. Ada Lee, Mrs. Estes Leach, Mrs. Walter Barnett, Mrs. Floyd Weems, Mrs. Charles Parker, Mrs. Odell Roberts, Mrs. Evelyn Petty, Mrs. V. P. Dalrymple, Mrs. M. T. Lipp, Miss Alene Holland, Miss Valerie McIntosh, Miss Roberta Reeves, Miss Laura Mae Williams, Miss Marjory Dan Kelly, Miss Helen Long, Miss Eva Blanchard, Miss Opal Moss, Miss Laura Turner and Miss Dee Hamilton, Kilbourne.

Vienna

Sixty persons attended the farewell party at the clubhouse here, honoring the eight local members of the national guard who left for training at Camp Hulen, Tex. The entertainment was sponsored by the Baptist Women's Missionary society.

A program of games and music was presented, under the direction of Mrs. Elliott Nelson. Refreshments were served.

Guests of honor were Orvill Weaver, Clinton Harris, Wyman Spinks, Durwood Frasier, Floyd Nolan, Cleo White, Robert Williamson and Varch Otwell.

Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Milford, Rev. Pat Lane, Rev. Canon Cargill, Mrs. T. Sholars and daughter, Mrs. Varch Otwell, Mrs. Arvie Spinks, Lee Spinks, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Nelson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ben White and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weaver, Miss Eva Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Otwell, Miss Fay Watts, Miss Marguerite Alexander, Miss Edwina Works, Madden Lee Nelson, Gene Walters, Norma Joe Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frasier, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Harris, Stella May and Bo White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hall, Bivens, Tex., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Nelson.

Mrs. L. F. Martin, Gibsland, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edith Walters.

"The Farm Homemaker Looks at Raw Materials in the National Defense Program" was the topic of a discussion by Mrs. Bertha Bryson before members of the Home Demonstration club here. Mrs. John Lolly presided at the meeting.

Present were Mrs. Charles Frasier, Miss Grace Rabb, Mrs. J. B. Watts, Mrs. John Lolly, Mrs. K. E. Ball, Mrs. J. C. Henry, Mrs. Charles Peterson, Mrs. P. K. Smith, Mrs. Gene Nolan, Mrs. J. H. Williamson, Mrs. E. S. Brewer, Mrs. Bertha Bryson, Mrs. R. T. Ferguson and Miss Judy Frasier.

NEWLYWEDS CUT WEDDING CAKE . . .

Lieutenant and Mrs. R. D. Pipes cut their wedding cake following their marriage in the home of Mrs. Pipes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Henderson. Those in the picture, reading from left to right are: Miss Alma Lynn Rasmussen, Mrs. Pipes, Lieutenant Pipes, Mr. Howard Barker and Mr. Clifford Jones.

Jonesboro

The Wesleyan guild of the Methodist church met in a short session at the church. After the devotional, which was conducted by Miss Nancy Sexton, the pledge service was held, at which time those present made their pledges for the coming year. Attending the meeting were: Mesdames Clay Walsworth, Louise Sneed, O. V. Allen, Misses Nancy Sexton, Edith Cox, Effie Smart, Bessie Guess, and Marguerite Wilder.

The Baptist W. M. S. met for its regular monthly business meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. M. D. Robinson in the absence of the president and the vice-president. The following program was rendered:

Song for the year, "Jesus Saves", devotional by Mrs. J. W. Buckner.

Reports from circles were read, some circles giving annual reports. The meeting was dismissed by prayer. Those present were: Mesdames F. E. Stadtlander, J. D. Kovace, L. Green, W. Coughlin, J. W. Hammons, E. L. Barlow, A. Wilson, Day Gray, D. G. Heflin, H. C. Carson, J. D. Puckett, J. A. Early, E. R. Hall, J. W. Barsaner, M. D. Robinson.

The Jonesboro grammar school P. T. A. enjoyed an inspirational talk by Rev. W. D. Milton, pastor of the Methodist church, at their regular meeting. Subject of the talk was "Training for Cooperation of Unselfish Living, Thinking and Acting Within the Schoolroom, As a Whole and in the Community." The guests joined in singing the P. T. A. song "God Bless Them Everyone," after which Inspector McLaurin played a piano solo. During the business session a count was to be taken of the visitors in Mrs. Lewis Frazier's third grade room winning the back for having the most representatives present.

The meeting was closed by prayer by Rev. Milton.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in regular business session in the church auditorium, with the president, Mrs. I. J. Allen, presiding.

A letter from the state president was read, also a letter from Rev. C. B. White, superintendent of the Ruston orphanage, expressing appreciation of the Christmas remembrance to the orphanage.

Reports were given by the secretaries of the various departments. Complete financial reports for the year 1940 were submitted by Mrs. Wayland McDonald and Mrs. Neil Thomas.

After the pledging services were held, the meeting was closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie." Those present were the Mesdames C. T. Woodard, Neil Thomas, John Swanson, J. R. Clark, A. R. Warren, Elaine Irvin, Glen Mullin, J. J. Brehm, W. D. Milton, J. E. Cox, I. J. Allen, J. F. Sneed, J. A. Thurmon, R. C. Jeffress, Fred Calloway, E. L. Meredith, A. A. Meredith, W. R. Gates, W. S. McDonald, Wayland McDonald, Charles Gott, W. O. Corley, R. A. Chewson and Cecil Garrett.

George Shows, Lafayette, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shows.

Mrs. T. A. Dekle and Mrs. Jack Shows Fallon and Mrs. Alice Garner were visitors in Ruston.

Miss Koy Stone was a guest of Miss Lillie Wyatt recently.

Mrs. C. G. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Ruston, visited their sister and aunt, Miss Lillie Wyatt.

Mrs. Buford Rhea and Mrs. Ansley Colvin were visitors in Ruston.

Lewis Crowson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crowson, left recently for Chanute field, Ill., where he will be stationed with the United States aeronautical department.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Mosley, Arcadia, were guests of Mrs. V. L. Brumfield.

Mrs. Henry Rubin and son, Irvin, and daughter, Rosaline, New York, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raphael.

Mrs. J. A. Gaar returned from New Orleans, where she visited her son and his family.

Enterprise

The Enterprise P.-T. A. met in the assembly room, rendering the following program sponsored by Mrs. Elizabeth Henagan and Mrs. Mae Cruse: Poem, "Our Flag," Eugene Crawford; flag song, fourth grade; "Duties to Match Our Privileges," A. L. Sandifer; song, "Keep the Home Fires Burning," assembly; "Citizenship," D. E. Chapman; song, "America the Beautiful," assembly.

St. Joseph

A meeting of the Baptist W. M. U. was held at the church. The following officers were elected to serve for 1941: President, Mrs. Viola Allen, vice-president, Mrs. X. T. Matthews, second vice-president, and chairman of mission study, Mrs. J. L. Crigler, third vice-president, Mrs. Bufkin; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Ben Frey. Chairmen of the various departments were elected as follows: Personal service, Mrs. A. N. Murry; children's home, Mrs. J. A. Causey; white cross, Mrs. T. A. Pierce; Margaret fund, Mrs. V. L. Pierce.

The Eudora club was entertained by Mrs. Joseph Whitaker. After a number of games had been played, a delicious plate luncheon was served. Mrs. Katie Watson won the first prize, the second was won by Mrs. Samuel Yourtee. Besides those already mentioned, those present were Mrs. Albert Bondurant, Mrs. Fred Cassil, Mrs. Joseph Curry, Mrs. L. R. Centanni, Mrs. Maury Stanton and Mrs. Fred Skinner.

The Baptist W. M. U. met at the Baptist church. A stewardship program was presented as follows: Devotional, "The Importance of Tithing," Mrs. Ben Frey, song, Dorothy Frey; "The Relationship of Stewardship to the Church," Mrs. X. T. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry Macpherson, Lake Charles, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Claude Earnest.

The Tensas Garden club held its January meeting at the Community house. The hostesses were Mrs. Peter Nevels and Mrs. Edgar Lofton. The following program was presented: Suspect, Our Time—How Shall We Spend It?" Leader, Mrs. J. L. Crigler; roll call, New Year resolutions; "What's Your Hurry?" Mrs. Katie Watson; "After Fifty—What?" Mrs. Vida Allen; flower suggestions, Mrs. J. L. Crigler. A salad course with tea was served after the program.

Dr. Dunbar Newell, Chattanooga, Tenn., was a St. Joseph visitor.

Dr. Kate Fox and Miss Leila Provost, both of Vicksburg, Miss., were guests of Mrs. William Chrisp.

Mrs. F. B. Loyal, Columbia, S. C., is visiting her niece, Mrs. C. B. Haddon, and Mr. Haddon.

Mrs. Edward Lynch and little Kay Lynch were visitors to Camp Beauregard.

The Wesley auxiliary held the first meeting of 1941, with Mrs. Samuel Yourtee as hostess. There was a pledge service at this meeting. The program was as follows: Devotional, Mrs. H. Cook and Mrs. S. Yourtee, song, "A Charge To Keep I Have," by all; "Health Work in United States by the Women of the Methodist Church," Mrs. F. Goodwine; pledge service, led by Mrs. E. H. Biggs.

Refreshments were served during the social hour which concluded the meeting. Those present were Mrs. E. H. Biggs, Mrs. Hollomon Cook, Mrs. Freemont Goodwine, Mrs. Maury Stanton and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Twenty-five members attended the meeting of the St. Joseph Rotary club. H. S. Moles, marketing specialist of the agricultural division, L. S. U., was the guest speaker. Mr. Moles discussed marketing problems of perishable farm products in his talk. C. B. Haddon, St. Joseph, Jack Webb and Louis Press, both of Waterproof, also were guests.

Rev. George A. A. Tocher and Mrs. Tocher, Tallulah, La., and their little daughter, Elizabeth, were supper guests of Mrs. Joseph Lee Curry recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Seibert, Alexandria, were week-end guests of Mrs. William Watson at "Cross Keys."

Sunstroke is very rare in Miami, Fla., where the sun shines most of the time.

Ferriday

The first meeting of the year for members of the Little Theatre players of Ferriday was held in the home of Miss Marjorie Dillon.

It was planned by the members to have a play at an early date. During the social hour, Mr. and Mrs. Carter C. Wailes, whose recent marriage was a prominent event, were presented with a beautiful gift from the members of the organization. Delicious refreshments were served.

The Ferriday Woman's club met in the home of Mrs. M. M. Perkins, Sr., Mrs. Hiram Sharpe acted as co-hostess.

The Presbyterian circle was entertained in the home of Mrs. Edgar Meeks, with a large number of members attending.

The initial meeting of the season for the members of the Vidalia High school Parent-Teacher association was held with a full attendance.

The Vidalia Garden club met in the home of Mrs. C. P. Seab with Mrs. T. J. Bingham and Mrs. C. E. White as co-hostesses.

Miss Clyde Shilling, parish demonstration agent has returned from a visit in Amite, La., and Chicago, Ill., where she spent the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yancey and son, Richard, returned from an extended trip through Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rife, Sicily Island, were visitors here recently.

The Presbyterian circle No. 1 was entertained in the home of Mrs. Edgar Weeks.

Hollie Henderson, who visited with his parents through the holidays, left to resume his studies at the Mechanic School of Training at Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Rose Matthews, Chattanooga, Tenn., who has been visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Price, left for a visit with friends in Kilgore, Tex.

Mesdames Joe Pasternack and William Mayer were visitors in Natchez.

Mrs. Stanley Maxwell left for a visit with her parents in Bastrop.

Mrs. M. Goldberger and Mrs. William J. Stein, Natchez, were week-end guests of Mrs. Henry Goudchaux.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Seaman, Waterproof, were here on a visit.

Mrs. Percy Brown, Monroe, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Hobbs.

Miss Lucille Jones and Lulu Oxley have returned to Ruston to resume their studies at Louisiana Tech after spending the holidays here with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Hiram Sharpe left recently to make their home in Plains, La., where Rev. Sharpe has been transferred as pastor of the Plains Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson have returned from a motor trip to South Carolina and Florida.

Miss Alice Hagler, Winnfied, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Era Drame left to resume her studies at Copiah-Lincoln Junior college, Wesson, Miss., after spending the holidays at home with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren and daughter have left for their home in Kansas City, Mo., after a visit through the holidays with Mrs. Warren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brent C. Oxley. Mrs. Warren is the former Miss Josephine Oxley, Ferriday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopkins, Waterproof, spent a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rabb, Mrs. Hopkins' parents.

The Parent-Teacher association of Ferriday High school held its first meeting of the year. The president, Mrs. William Mayer, presided. A committee was appointed to purchase playground equipment for the school campus.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Byrd, Alexandria, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coon.

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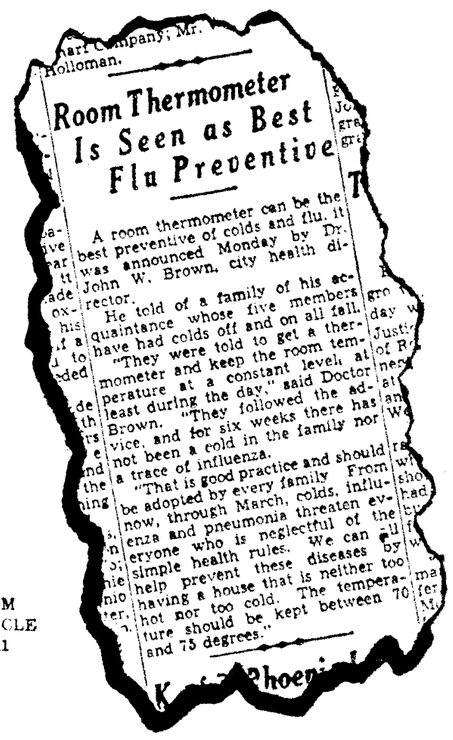
Room Thermometer Is Seen as Best Flu Preventive
A room thermometer can be the best preventive of colds and flu, it was announced Monday by Dr. John W. Brown, city health director.
He told of a family of his acquaintance whose five members have had colds off and on all fall. "They were told to get a thermometer and keep the room temperature at a constant level, at least during the day," said Doctor Brown. "They followed the advice, and for six weeks there has not been a cold in the family nor a trace of influenza.
"That is good practice and should be adopted by every family. From now, through March, colds, influenza and pneumonia threaten everyone who is neglectful of the simple health rules. We can help prevent these diseases by having a house that is neither too hot nor too cold. The temperature should be kept between 70 and 75 degrees."

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Mrs. B. R. Golson converted the reception suite of her home into a Gypsy tea room and served her guests novel refreshments when she entertained complimentary to a charming visitor in the city, Mrs. George Forman of Atlanta, Ga.

Accentuating the Gypsy idea were the colorful costumes worn by Miss Mary Benoit, Miss Georgia McCoy and Miss Rosemary Dawson, who assisted the hostess in extending courtesies.

Beautiful red camellias were placed in extravagant array in the dining room where the tea table was presided over by Miss Benoit. The delicious confections were served by Miss Alice Daimwood and Miss Bernice McCoy.

Mrs. Forman, the central figure in this group of old friends, was wearing a smart black crepe model with corsage of Parma violets. She stood with her hostess and Mrs. J. B. McCoy and Mrs. E. R. Dawson to receive the guests.

Calling during the afternoon were Miss Jeanette Zeigler, Mrs. J. A. D'Armand, Mrs. John Robertson, Miss Beverly Russell, Mrs. Shelby Cage, Mrs. James McCormick, Miss Bernice McCoy, Miss Georgia McCoy, Mrs. J. C. Crawford, Miss Clydie Cox, Mrs. George Guerriero, Mrs. C. B. Lewis, Mrs. Lealis Hale, Mrs. George Holland, Miss Rosemary Dawson, Mrs. E. R. Dawson, Miss Lucille Godwin, Miss Mamie McNeill, Mrs. Neil Evans, Mrs. Addie Pierce, Miss Alice Daimwood, Mrs. C. H. Fulson, Mrs. J. B. McCoy, Miss Clara Wood, Mrs. John Eby, Miss Olive Lusk, Miss Ruby Benoit, Miss Emma Boughton, Miss Helen Benoit, Mrs. Jack Ducote, Miss Helena Hayward, Mrs. Harry Moore, Mrs. C. C. Bell, Jr., Mrs. Carl Riggin, Miss Sarah Elizabeth Moffet, Mrs. Credille Calhoun, Miss Virginia Sheen, Mrs. S. H. Womack, Mrs. Harry Hawthorne, Miss Carolyn Renwick, Mrs. Max Larche, Miss Priscilla Butler, Miss Clarice Roane, Mrs. Earl Cobb, Mrs. V. T. McCoy.

Winnsboro

A distinctive affair honoring Mrs. Carl Turner, Jr., a bride of recent date, was the afternoon tea in the Carl Turner, Sr., home.

The reception room reflected the spirit of spring with beautiful pink and white camellias and white narcissus predominating, overflowing from bowls placed on mantel, tables and piano.

Mrs. E. S. Little extended a gracious welcome to entering guests. Mrs. Carl Turner, Sr., in blue crepe, introduced Mrs. Carl Turner, Jr., who wore gold crepe. Both the hostess and honor guests wor corsages of pink roses and candytuft.

After meeting the bride, the guests were invited into the beautifully decorated dining room by Mrs. C. L. Moore, Jr.

The tea table, overlaid with lace had a plaque of pink roses and candytuft running lengthwise through the center. On either side were crystal candlesticks tied with pink ribbons holding white tapers.

Mrs. John Langford and Mrs. Mack Bradley presided at the punch bowl serving iced frappe.

Mrs. J. J. Harrison was hostess to her rook club. After the games, a delicious plate lunch consisting of creamed chicken, congealed salad, pickles, hot rolls, fruit cake and hot tea was served to the following members: Mrs. E. S. Little, Mrs. Mack Bradley, Mrs. Carl Turner, Mrs. Denzil Mullins, Mrs. D. J. Anders, Mrs. E. B. Moore, Mrs. E. B. Scott and Mrs. R. F. Walden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Scott had as their dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stall, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stall, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stall, Gibsland; William Stall and Miss Gladys Stall, Bastrop.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hair were Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Fryand and son of West Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kahn have returned after a two weeks' visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Moise Block, New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. King Brown, Jackson, Miss., spent the week-end with Mrs. Susie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner, Gilbert, entertained friends and relatives with a turkey dinner.

Those who enjoyed their hospitality were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Polk, Miss Claudine L. Polk, Mr. Cecil Polk and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Gardner, Winnsboro; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lofton and son, Bivens, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. George L. LaCoste, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gardner, Gilbert, and Mr. Stanley Polk, Prentiss, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell (Bubber) Godfrey, Rochelle, spent the week-end in the C. R. Godfrey home.

Miss Ann Keith was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Perritt.

Mrs. R. C. Davis, Durward McCalman and Miss Joy Langford spent a week-end in Bradley, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones visited in the C. L. Richardson home.

Mrs. J. L. Sharp and children and Miss Thelma Hurst, Smackover, Ark., spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holmes.

Miss Marjorie Funderburk, Jena, and Miss Margaret Funderburk, Gilbert, visited their parents here.

Allen Francis Prickett and Mrs. Sydney Jackson and daughter, Lucy Ann, Shreveport, were week-end guests in the W. F. Prickett home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bradley, Lone Pine, had as dinner guests their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Rinehart, Ed Dotson, Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Hall and children, all of Little Rock.

Mrs. R. E. Applewhite and children and Miss Katherine Bates visited in Bastrop with Miss Margaret Coburn.

Mrs. S. C. Wimbish, Shreveport, was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. W. Cuney.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Baker were Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. E. B. Folse and her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. B. Folse, both of Bastrop.

Marion

Mrs. K. S. Thompson, Clayton Thompson, Mrs. Olive Wheelis and Mrs. Alice Hopkins visited relatives in El Dorado.

Ed Phillips of Baton Rouge visited his parents here.

Mrs. E. J. Gulley and Mrs. W. A. Taunton were visitors in Tullos and Urania recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Jenny Spencer, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tucker.

Gurvis Post, Fort Worth, Tex., visited his brother, Glen Post, here.

Misses Sallie Martin and Irene Martin visited relatives in Urania.

Mrs. Audrey McDermott, Mer Rouge, was the week-end guest of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Powell visited their daughter, Mrs Jordan, Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker were week-end guests of Mrs. Tucker's parents in Choudrant.

Mangham

Miss Edna Irl Mewhinny, New Orleans, was a guest in the home of Miss Janet Hixon.

T. W. Stark returned from Tennessee after a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Paul Frasier was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Feree, Clarks.

Dr. Claude S. McConnell and Dr. James E. McConnell of the Methodist hospital, Fort Worth, Tex., were called home due to the illness of their mother, Mrs. C. E. McConnell.

Mrs. E. D. Baker was hostess to the young peoples Bible class at her home, with Miss Olivia Lee as leader. After the lesson, Mrs. Baker served delicious refreshments to, Miss Olivia Lee, Miss Elaine Windham, Mrs. Mable Nash Miss Thelma Lutiker, Miss Johnnie Gregory and Miss Ada Preston. Mrs. D. C. Ker and Mrs. Corbin Baker were guests.

James L. Collins, Hopkinsville, Ky., and Dr. R. O. C. Green, Rayville, were dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hixon and Miss Janet Hixon.

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At a meeting of the Home Demonstration council held at the courthouse, Miss Mary Mims, extension sociologist, was the guest speaker. Miss Nan Tarwater, district agent, spoke on the objectives to be carried out by farm women for the year, and C. E. Hester, parish agent, explained the work of the Land Use Planning committee in Madison parish.

Mrs. William LaFave presided and Mrs. V. R. Thompson served as secretary. Mrs. LaFave explained the use of the New Year books and urged that they be studied thoroughly by club leaders. Mrs. P. C. Hammons read an article, "Club Women in America," and Mrs. LaFave read "Farm Women and Defense."

Miss Elizabeth Williams, who has resigned her position as home demonstration agent, expressed her appreciation for the cooperation given her by the farm women in the parish during her leadership.

Those in attendance were Miss Mims, Miss Tarwater, Mrs. LaFave, Mrs. George Rogas, Mrs. W. A. Lancaster, Sr., Mrs. Edgar H. Lancaster, Mrs. P. C. Hammons, Mrs. Waldo Neuman, Mrs. M. A. Verhagen, Miss Verhagen, Mrs. M. D. Freeman, Mrs. Ed Cockran, Mrs. J. H. Alexander, Mrs. M. C. Owens, Mrs. Reid Watts, Mrs. J. P. Millikin, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Harlan Ebert, Mrs. Jess Land, Miss Land, Mrs. Gustafson, Mrs. Francis Rodwig, Mrs. Charles Arneson, Mrs. A. J. Boswell, Mrs. H. C. Moore, Miss R. Elizabeth Williams and Mrs. Elizabeth M. Thompson.

Mrs. W. L. Rountree and Mrs. W. H. Pierson accompanied Miss Georgia Rose Rountree to Baton Rouge when she returned to L. S. U. Mrs. Pierson was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Sharp, in Baton Rouge.

The monthly fellowship supper was held at the Methodist church with an attendance of 75. A feature of the program was the showing of moving pictures taken by Mrs. Jesse Anderson on her trip through the west, including views of Canada and Yellowstone.

Mrs. Henry Sevier and Miss Carolyn Sevier were recent visitors to Baton Rouge.

Mrs. Dan James was a bridge hostess entertaining members of her club. The high score prize, an ice bucket, was won by Mrs. D. H. Allen, and Mrs. "Blue" Woodyear and Mrs. W. H. Pierson received bon bon dishes for consolation and low score prizes, respectively.

A delectable plate lunch was served at the conclusion of the games to Mrs. W. R. Gilfoil, Mrs. A. J. Sevier, Mrs. W. H. Pierson, Mrs. Mason Spencer, Mrs. A. L. Sevier, Mrs. J. A. Gilbert, Mrs. Horace Lee, Mrs. W. C. Starrett, Mrs. Alex Blanche, Mrs. George Yerger, Jr., Mrs. Woodyear and Mrs. D. H. Allen.

Mrs. R. C. Gaines and Mrs. W. M. Scott are visiting in New Orleans.

Mrs. Norris A. White, a bride of December, was delightfully complimented when Miss Emma Jean Erwin and Miss Juanita Jones entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the Erwin home. The bridal theme was used in attractive decorations of green and white with silver bells and white tapers in crystal holders.

The honoree was escorted to an elaborately decorated chair in the center of the room and was presented with a decorated basket filled with beautiful gifts. An added feature was the writing of wishes for the bride in her book.

Refreshments of fruit punch and individual cakes embossed with names of the bride and groom were served. The guest list included Mrs. White, Mrs. H. C. Massey, Mrs. J. B. Massey, Mrs. L. S. Vance, Mrs. D. L. Porch, Miss Vertner Sevier, Miss Ruth Smith, Miss Ruby Manning, Mrs. Charles Pollard, Miss Peggy Claughton, Mrs. Watson, Miss Jane Watson, Miss Katherine Carson, Miss Betty Jo Love, Miss Cary Breckenridge, Miss Sarah Scurria, Mrs. M. M. Lewis, Miss Katherine Ward, Miss Maggie Smith and Mrs. Jessie Smith.

The Eveready circle of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Norwood Duke with the new president, Mrs. J. E. Manis, presiding. The appointment of committees for the year's work was a feature of the business session. It was voted to adopt as a project for the year the collection of necessary articles for the Louisiana Methodist orphanage.

Mrs. W. H. Erickson conducted an interesting lesson from the program material, "Investing Our Heritage," in which she discussed the heritage of health and what the church is doing through cooperation with other agencies and the church hospitals in this country and in mission fields in other lands. Mrs. Erickson was assisted in the worship program by Mrs. K. Gore and Mrs. C. H. Calhoun.

During the social hour the hostess served refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and cookies to Mrs. Gore, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. W. H. Rogillio, Mrs. Whit Erwin, Mrs. Jesse Anderson, Mrs. T. Ed Williams, Mrs. W. E. Wiswell, Mrs. H. D. Lay, Mrs. C. H. Calhoun, Mrs. L. G. Storey, Mrs. J. B. O'Shea, Mrs. J. E. Manis, Mrs. W. E. Regenold and Mrs. M. C. Owens.

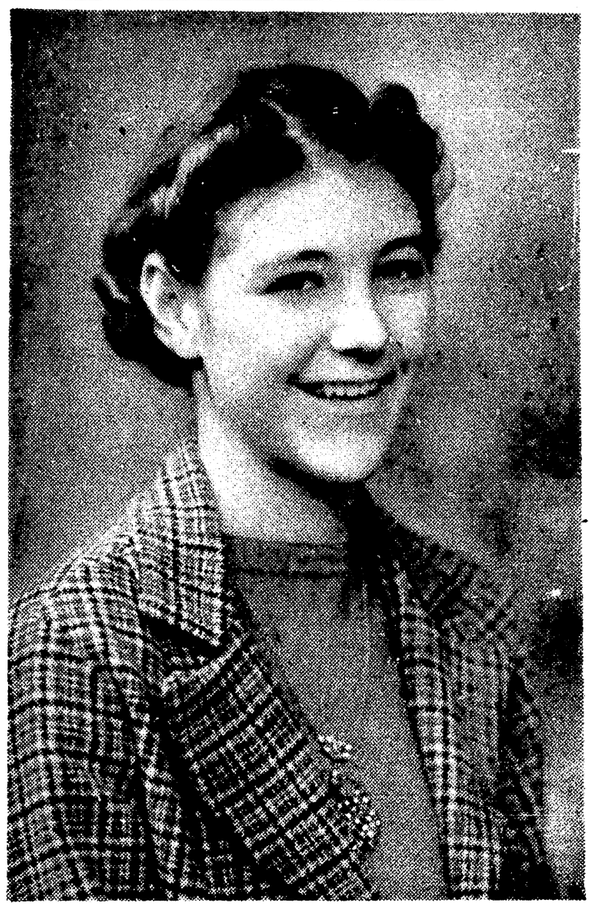
The Wednesday club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Frank Montgomery, who served a delicious quail supper at the conclusion of bridge games. Mrs. E. S. Freeman was the recipient of the high score prize, a baking dish, and Mrs. L. Stevens, consolation, two linen towels. The guests were Mrs. Z. L Chambliss, Mrs. E. B. Schicker, Mrs. W. D. Buford, Mrs. G. L. Smith, Mrs. A. T. Palmer, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. L. Stevens and Mrs. Dave Kaufman.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fortner and Mrs. J. L. Cason left for Victoria, Tex., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Alnut Cason.

Mrs. Y. H. King estertained circle 4 of the Baptist Missionary society when a program on "Enlistment" was the feature. Talks were made by Mrs. C. E. Walker and Mrs. L. E. Walker The devotional was given by Mrs. J. M. Yeates.

Officers elected were Mrs. J. W. Holly, chairman; Mrs. Henry Horn, co-chairman; Mrs. J. O. Horn, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Yeates, mission study and programs; Mrs. J. B. Massey, literature; Mrs. H. M. Foster, personal service; Mrs. C. E. Walker, children's home; Mrs. L. B. Collins, stewardship; Mrs. King, reporter; Mrs. L. E. Walker, white cross, and Mrs. Dan Walker, Margaret fund and training school.

The hostess served ice cream and cake during the social period to Mrs. C. E. Walker, Mrs. L. E. Walker, Mrs. Ben Jordan, Mrs. L. B. Collins, Mrs. Y. H. King and Mrs. J. M. Yeates.



DECEMBER BRIDE . . .

Mrs. Ralph Pinion, a bride of recent date, who will be remembered as Miss Dorothy Mae Ferrington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kimbrough, Mrs. Tom Bomer, J. C. Sherwin, D. and Mrs. Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Yerger motored to Jackson recently.

The monthly meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the home of Mrs. Mason Spencer. Mrs. George Yerger, Sr., presided. Mrs. B. P. Folk gave a review of the D. A. R. magazine and Miss Lottie Avery read a paper prepared by Mrs. Cliff Clark on "The Signers of the Declaration of Independence."

Refreshments were served during the social hour to Mrs. Alex Clark, Mrs. W. H. Burleigh, Mrs. Yerger, Mrs. Horace Maxwell, Mrs. B. P. Folk, Mrs. H. N. Alexander, Mrs. Alberte Ammens, Miss Lottie Avery and Mrs. George Webb.

At the monthly business meeting of Trinity chapter of the Episcopal auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. Ed Shamblin, Mrs. George Yerger, Jr., presided During the social hour which followed a delicious salad course was served. Those in attendance were Mrs. W. C. Starrett, Mrs. E. A. Buckner, Mrs. W. M. Scott, Mrs. W. L. Rountree, Mrs. Yerger, Mrs. R. T. Campbell, Mrs. Mason Spencer and Mrs. Shamblin.

Mrs. E. N. Pollard and children Miss Nellie Sue Jackson and Stanley Harmon visited in Oak Grove.

Rev. and Mrs. George A. A. Tocher, who will leave soon to make their home in Sherman, Tex., were delightfully complimented with Mr. and Mrs. George S. Yerger, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Yerger, Jr., entertained at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Yerger, Sr., at Mounds recently. The entire membership of Trinity Episcopal church and other friends were invited.

Mrs. Bill Yerger met the guests as they entered. They were then greeted by the hostesses, Rev. and Mrs. Tocher and the following officers of the organizations of the church: Mrs. Mason Spencer, Mrs. M. A. Phillips, Mrs. E. A. Buckner, Mrs. W. M. Scott, Miss Florence Pierson and Miss Annette Beers.

In the dining room Mrs. Andrew Yerger and Mrs. Dan James presided at the beautifully appointed lace-draped table centered with a cluster of yellow roses flanked by yellow tapers. Sandwiches, dainty confections and salted nuts were served. Guests were then privileged to inspect the beautiful new Yerger home.

The Guild of Trinity Episcopal church was entertained by Mrs. George A. A. Tocher at the rectory. Mrs. George Yerger, Sr., presided over the business session and Mrs. Mary Wilson conducted the lesson. Those in attendance were Mrs. Neal Holt, Mrs. Jessie Bonney, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. George W. Webb, Mrs. T. P. Kell, Mrs. A. J. Sevier, Miss Florence Pierson, Mrs. George S. Yerger and Rev. and Mrs. Tocher.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Ed Williams were recent visitors to Mangham.

Mrs. W. C. Starrett was hostess to the Friday Afternoon Club, serving a delicious salad course at the conclusion of bridge games. The high score prize was won by Mrs. E. Barnes Schicker and second prize by Mrs. Horace Lee. The guests included Mrs. Mason Spencer, Mrs. Horace Lee, Mrs. Schicker, Mrs. Henry Sevier, Mrs. John Sevier, Mrs. B. P. Folk, Mrs. J. A. Gilbert.

Circle 1 of the Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. R. O. Bales for the annual election of officers. The following were chosen: Mrs. Johnnie Land, chairman; Mrs. E. P. Cockran, co-chairman; Mrs. R. O. Bales, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. N. Pollard, personal service; Mrs. C. A. Shelton, stewardship and social; Mrs. A. B. Smith, mission study; Mrs. John Doden, Children's home.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mrs. O. N. Williamson, Mrs. E. P. Cockran, Mrs. R. V. Hughes, Mrs. C. A. Shelton, Mrs. W. W. Burns, Mrs. John Doden, Mrs. Clarence Crow, Mrs. Albert Sevier and Mrs. E. N. Pollard.

A program on personal service and stewardship was the feature of a meeting of circle 5 of the W. M. U., held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Boswell. Those contributing talks were Mrs. James Luster, Mrs. L. Westmoreland, Mrs. Boswell and Mrs. H. J. Jones. Mrs. W. C. Purdy gave the devotional.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to Mrs. Purdy, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. H. J. Jones, Mrs. M. Freeman, Mrs. D. P. Moore, Mrs. Luster, Mrs. James Cosse, Mrs. Boswell and Mrs. Revell.

Mr. and Mrs. Field Montgomery and children visited relatives in Bastrop.

Mrs. Glen Whetstone is a patient at the Vicksburg Sanitarium.

Mrs. J. W. Greenlee, Monroe, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Phillips.

The Thursday Night Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Horace Lee, who served a delicious supper preceding the bridge games. Prizes for high score were won by Mrs. George Yerger Jr., and W. M. Scott. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. George Kimbrough, Mr. and Mrs. George Yerger, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sevier, Mrs. R. T. Campbell, Mrs. Will Sevier, Jr., C. Gaines and W. M. Scott.

Mrs. J. L. Bittick, Eudora, Ark., was a recent visitor here in the home of Mrs. J. L. Coleman.

Leo Adams and Janet Buford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shields, Alsatia.

Mrs. G. M. Fuller entertained members of the Friday Night Club, serving a delicious supper preceding bridge games. The high score prize was won by Mrs. R. R. Spigener and Richard Tate, Gulfport. Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moberley, Dr. and Mrs. J. Roy Medlin, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Chambliss, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tate of Gulfport, Mrs. R. R. Spigener and Mrs. J. A. Gilbert.

Mrs. J. C. Lee was among the hostesses of the week entertaining the members of her bridge club. The high score prize, a box of powder, was won by Mrs. Clark Brown and low score, a waste basket, by Mrs. L. Z. Naylor. A delightful two-course luncheon was served after the games to Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. Jesse Anderson, Mrs. T. Ed Williams, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Douglas Lee, Mrs. C. H. Calhoun, Mrs. W. H. Rogillio and Mrs. James Wallace.

Mrs. G. M. Fuller is ill at her home with influenza.

Mrs. C. E. Hester left for Washington, D. C., where she will attend the board meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Hester is the former president of the Louisiana Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. E. T. Purnell recently entertained with a lovely dinner party at her home, having as guests Mrs. A. M. Hebert, Mrs. A. E. Adams, Mrs. R. K. Boney, Miss Amy Holmes, Mrs. Tom Hendricks of Grayson.

Mrs. James Gilfoil was a recent bridge hostess, entertaining the members of her club. Miss Eula Gilfoil was the recipient of the high score award and Mrs. H. S. Province, low score. Their gifts were attractive pottery. A delicious salad course was served after the games to Mrs. Hugh Montgomery, Mrs. Dean Allen, Mrs. H. S. Provine, Mrs. Francis Jordan, Miss Eula Gilfoil, Mrs. George Kimbrough, Mrs. J. C. Lee and Mrs. Emmett Craig.

Mrs. E. O. Edgerton is visiting relatives in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Allen entertained with a delightful supper bridge complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tate, Gulfport, Mrs. J. A. Gilbert and Mrs. C. L. Chambliss at the close of the games had identical scores for ladies' high score prize, which was presented to Mrs. Gilbert, who cut high. R. S. Gayle received the gentleman's prize. The players were Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gilfoil, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Chambliss, Mrs. J. A. Gilbert and Mr. Gayle. Mrs. Gayle was a supper guest.

Mrs. Nat Bray and infant son retuurned to their home recently from Vicksburg.

Little Dorothy and Sherrill Sevier, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sevier, Jr., celebrated their fourth birthday when Mrs. Sevier entertained a large group of their young friends at a charming birthday party. After games and a pleasant hour on the lawn playing on the slide, the children were invited into the dining room, where the lace-covered table was centered with the beautifully embossed cake with four tiny candles. From ribbons extending from the cake, favors were drawn. Ice cream, cookies and mints were served. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. R. K. Boney and Miss Nell Coad.

Those in attendance were Jane Vernon Sevier, Buck Weaver, Mary Ann Massey, Jacob Storey, Field Montgomery, Maxwell Yerger, Jr., Flo and Tommy Montgomery, Billy and Carolyn Allen, Dorothy Provine, Barbara Loe, Bunny Devine, Carol Adams, Kenny DeJean, Dorothy and Edna Margaret Yerger, Dorothy and Susan Woodyear, Willard Agee, Robert Coleman, Frances McKie, Johnny O'Shea and Elizabeth Yerger.

Mrs. E. E. Warrick entertained her club, serving a delicious turkey supper at the conclusion of bridge games. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Douglas Lee, and low score by Mrs. Leander Grace. The guests included Mrs. Alex Blanche, Mrs. H. C. Brown, Mrs. C. H. Calhoun, Mrs. T. Ed Williams, Mrs. Grace, Mrs. L. G. Storey, Mrs. Norwood Duke and Mrs. Douglas Lee.

The Senior Home Art Club of the high school met with Violet Roy presiding and Betty Ebert as leader of the following program: "How to Develop Personality," Mrs. J. R. Medlin, "America, the Beautiful," sung by club; chapter review on personality, Wilma Brown; dance, Louise Ladd and Catherine Carter; "The Most Interesting Personality," Mable Carlisle; piano solo, Ruth Bessonette; talk on character, Catherine Poole; solo, Elma Magee; "Cooperation Makes a Lady," Virginia Martin; personality traits, Nellie Sue Jackson; reading, Maxine Deason; solo, Elma Magee.

After the program, Mrs. Fuller, who has resigned as club leader to become home demonstration agent, was presented with a beautiful card table, a gift from the faculty, by Mary Jo Davis and with a fountain pen from the Home Art Clubs by Violet Roy.

A meeting of the Wesleyan Guild was held at the Methodist church with Miss Helene Roy presiding. Miss Charlotte Sevier read the scripture lesson, which was followed by a discussion of mission work at home and in the foreign field. The session closed with prayer by Mary Murphy. Others in attendance were Misses Agatha Lanehart, Ila Fay Kirby, Mrs. Eunice Chandler, Miss Elizabeth Piper, and Mrs. D. W. Poole.

The Teachers Night Club met with Mrs. Myles Hopkins, who served a delicious supper before the bridge games. Mrs. J. R. Medlin was winner of the high score prize and Mrs. W. P. Yerger, second high. The guests were Miss Frances Alexander, Mrs. H. W. Burleigh, Miss Dorothy Ann Versor, Miss Vertner Sevier, Mrs. C. E. Speed, Mrs. Yerger, Mrs. Cecil Smith and Mrs. Medlin.

The Cape Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. H. F. Stewart. In the absence of the president, Miss Elizabeth Williams presided and gave a report of the council meeting and explained the 1941 mattress program.

Mrs. Ethel M. Fuller, the new home demonstration agent, discussed an interesting article comparing "Mobilization' for Material Defense with Mobilization of Materials in the Home." Miss Williams discussed the pamphlets on "Our National Defense Program." Mrs. W. H. Carlisle gave a report on "Food for Defense." The program closed with reading the club collect.

Grayson

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mitchell and children, Gordon, Jr., and Carolyn, Wisner, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warner.

W. I. Meredith, who is employed at Camp Claiborne, near Alexandria, spent a few days here with his wife and son.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson, Fort Worth, Tex., were entertained in the homes of R. C. Baygent and W. C. Valentine recently.

Circle one of the Baptist W. M. S. held its weekly meeting at the church with Mrs. R. G. Fore in charge of the Bible study.

Circle two of the Baptist W. M. S. held its weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. C. Valentine, with Mrs. Valentine in charge of the Bible study. At the conclusion of the lesson refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames I. D. Meredith, Roy Estess, Ray Fore, J. L. Humphries, W. C. Valentine and Miss Sara Whitten.

Mrs. T. O. Watson and Miss Marjorie Funderburk, Jena, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Howell.

Mrs. J. C. Hines and Mrs. W. J. Thomas were visitors in Monroe.

Okaloosa

The Okaloosa Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Kilpatrick. Mrs. E. M. Frith, president, presided. Two new members, Mrs. W. A. Griffin and Miss Johnnie Fletcher, were enrolled. Miss Elizabeth Whatley, assistant home demonstration agent, addressed the members on the subject, "The Farm Homemakers Look at Raw Materials in the National Defense Program."

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to Mrs. E. M. Frith, Mrs. T. H. Hobbs, Mrs. F. J. Crowell, Mrs. D. A. Coon, Mrs. W. A. Griffin, Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, Misses Johnnie Fletcher, Ottice Kilpatrick, Mrs. N. L. Coon and Miss Elizabeth Whatley.

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Members of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the church building to plan the work for the new year and to enjoy a social hour. Mrs. Velma Deardoff, president received a lovely gift from the members.

Refreshments were served by members of the Dorcas and Loyalty circles to the following: Mrs. John Parks, Mrs. E. L. Price, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Nettie Charrier, Mrs. Ralph Brazzell, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Sam Deardoff, Mrs. Calender, Mrs. Lillie Bacle, Mrs. Velma Deardoff, Mrs. Rocky Sturdivant, Mrs. H. F. Morris, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. W. W. Terry, Mrs. George Wedgeworth, Mrs. H. F. Sproles, Mrs. J. B. Jobe, Mrs. B. W. McKinnis, Mrs. Charley Wiley, Mrs. Sheldon Teer, Mrs. C. A. Middleton, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. Jim Watson, Mrs. L. A. Flohr, Mrs. Elton Sumlin, Mrs. C. F. Almand, Mrs. Clarence Littleton and Mrs. L. P. Woodard.

Clyde Dunham, Fort Benning, Ga., arrived to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Dunham.

Earl Harrell, who is stationed in North Carolina, visited his family and friends recently.

The Dorcas Circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met in the home of the chairman, Mrs. Charley Wiley. The meeting was opened with a devotional taken from Matthew 15: 21-28, given by Mrs. Wiley. Prayer was given by Mrs. Lillie Bacle.

The following officers were elected: Co-chairman, Mrs. Lillie Bacle; secretary-treasurer, Mrs Rocky Sturdivant; mission study leader, Mrs. A. M. Smith; program chairman, Mrs. C. A. Middleton; personal service chairman, Mrs. Sheldon Teer; stewardship chairman, Mrs. Ralph Brazzell; literature chairman, Mrs. Buck Sheppard; Children's home chairman, Mrs. Hicks.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Hicks. During the social hour a Sunshine club was formed and refreshments were served to Mesdames Lillie Bacle, Rocky Sturdivant, Sheldon Teer, A. M. Smith, Ralph Brazzell, Buck Sheppard, Hicks and Nettie Charrier.

The Ever Ready circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Elton Sumlin. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. C. F. Almand. Mrs. Sumlin read the devotional. During the business session the following officers were elected: Co-chairman, Mrs. C. F. Almand; secretary treasurer, Mrs Howard Smith; mission study leader, Mrs. L. P. Woodard; Children's Home chairman, Mrs. George Wedgeworth; personal service chairman, Mrs. H. F. Morris; literature chairman, Mrs. John S. Barr; stewardship chairman, Mrs. F. McKinnis; Margaret fund chairman, Mrs. W. W. Terry; White Cross chairman, Mrs. Joe Wynn.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Sumlin. Delicious home-made cookies and bottled drinks were served to the following Mesdames Joe Wynn, F. McKinnis, C. F. Almand, Eula Broadway, Jim Watson, John S. Barr, H. M. Smith, W. W. Terry and L. P. Woodard.

The Mary Lou circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Ira Kessler. After the devotional, which was given by the hostess, the following officers were elected: Co-chairman, Mrs. Rex Hikell; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Sam Deardoff; Children's home chairman, Mrs. O. I. Gilliland; program chairman, Mrs. S. F. Smith; mission study leader, Mrs. J. B. Jobe; stewardship chairman, Mrs. P. H. Post; personal service chairman, Mrs. Charley Hall, White Cross chairman, Mrs. E. R. Price; Margaret fund chairman, Mrs. Callender; Christian education chairman, Mrs. Clarence Littleton, literature chairman, Mrs. J. M. Smith.

At the close of the meeting sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and hot chocolate were served to the following: Mrs. P. H. Post, Mrs. J. B. Jobe, Mrs. Charley Hall, Mrs. S. E. Smith and Mrs. E. R. Price.

Jessie Grice of Alexandria visited his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Smith visited in Natchez, Miss.

The Hannah Reynolds circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Smith. The following officers were elected: Co-chairman, Mrs. John R. Golson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Clyde Hancock; stewardship chairman, Mrs. B. W. McKinnis; personal service chairman, Mrs. L. A. Flohr; Children's home chairman, Mrs. Tom Silk; mission study leader, Mrs. H. F. Sproles; program chairman, Mrs. Loray Jones; Christian education, Mrs. Fannie Laird; Margaret fund and training school chairman, Mrs. Piez McClandish; White Cross chairman, Mrs. Allen.

Those present were Mrs. B. W. McKinnis, Mrs. Piez McClandish, Mrs. H. F. Sproles, Mrs. A. J. Ford, Mrs. John R. Golson, Mrs. L. A. Flohr and Mrs. Loray Jones.

Mrs. Frank Bell and daughter, Jo Anne, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Bryant.

Quitman

Mrs. W. R Guess, Mrs. Iva McMurray, Mrs. Carrie Jones, Jonesboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude McMillan.

John Thrift and W. W. Turner were recent visitors to Jonesboro.

Sam Thomas was a recent visito to Monroe.

Miss Nellie Bryan Vernon was a recent visitor with her aunt, Mrs Charles Smith.

Johnie Gilbert was a recent visito to Jonesboro.

W. D Waldrip, Jonesboro, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D Waldrip.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Brown, Alexandria visited Mrs. J. W. King.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Williams, J. T. Bryan and daughter, Mildered, of Tullos, visited Mr. Bryan and Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. J. S. Bryan.

Miss Falba Vail, Jonesboro, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jas Vail.

Mrs. Margaret Duepree Crowley, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McMillan.

NONE IN ADVANCE

PUEBLO, Colo.—(AP)—A serious-faced old fellow appeared at the welfare bureau.

I've heard that its pensioners are allowed up to $100 for a funeral service," he said.

"Well, if that's true I'd like to have mine now because I want to be sure of getting what's coming to me."

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'Four Mothers' Opens Engagement At The Paramount

They're back in their best hit yet! The Lane family (remember them in "Four Daughters" and "Four Wives"?) will invade the Paramount theater today with their new hit, "Four Mothers," and play through Tuesday. Priscilla Lane, Eddie Albert, Lola Lane, Claude Rains, May Robson, Frank McHugh, Rosemary Lane, Dick Foran, Gale Page, Jeffrey Lynn and Vera Lewis are in the cast.

"Kitty Foyle" as a pupil and "Kitty Foyle" as a white-collar worker, but they're both Ginger Rogers and "Kitty Foyle" is the midnight show at the Paramount theater this Saturday.

Red-headed, vivacious, dazzling, and a success in her first picture, Anna Neagle turns in an entertaining and unforgettable Nanette in "No, No, Nanette," playing Wednesday and Thursday at the Paramount theater.

James Cagney and Pat O'Brien in their greatest picture, the photoplay that launched them both into stardom, "Here Comes the Navy." Cagney and Pat are two tough tars and they don't mind telling it to everybody. It is brought back by the Capitol for showing today and Monday.

They just got married! Robert Montgomery and Constance Cummings go on a "Haunted Honeymoon," Tuesday at the Capitol. They are seen here examining their wedding presents and what takes place in this mystery-comedy will thrill you.

The pulse-quickening music of Charles Butterworth, Fred Astaire, Paulette Goddard, Artie Shaw and Burgess Meredith is of prime importance in the gay, swing comedy, "Second Chorus," which plays Friday and Saturday on the Paramount screen. "Second Chorus" stars for the first time the dancing team of Fred Astaire and Paulette Goddard.

Lane Sisters Featured In New Picture

Claude Rains, May Robson, Jeffrey Lynn And Eddie Albert In Cast

"FOUR MOTHERS," the latest of the gay, charming "Four Daughters" series will make its local debut at the Paramount Theater today. All the favorites of the Lemp family are back in this newest adventure. The story is more dramatic than its predecessors because now the Four Daughters are Four Mothers, yet it contains much sparkling humor.

The cast stars the Lane sisters, Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola together with Gale Page as the Four Mothers. Adam Lemp, honest, respected citizen of Briarwood and devotee of Beethoven, is played by that grand actor, Claude Rains. His wise, philosophical sister, Aunt Etta, is portrayed by May Robson. Jeffrey Lynn, Eddie Albert, Frank McHugh and Dick Foran are cast as the husbands who are ideally suited to their wives.

Adam Lemp persuaded many of the townfolk to invest in some property in Florida that his son-in-law Ben (Frank McHugh) owned. When a hurricane came along and devastated the area, Adam felt as if he were responsible for the loss and sells his property in Briarwood in order to repay his friends. This warm story of how a great family helped themselves escape the disheartening results of adversity by working together will always be remembered. It is not only the story of a family's sacrifice. It is the story of a doctor's search for cure that will rid the town of a certain disease. It is the story of how a man's love for great music is kept alive. Above all it is a story of faith in the little man.

Director William Keighley has whipped the fine screenplay by Stephen Morehouse Avery into a grand film, losing none of the little human touches that give it such warmth. The story was suggested by Fannie Hurst's novel, "Super Act."

This Week's Movie Program

AT THE PARAMOUNT

TODAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane and Gale Page in "Four Mothers," with Claude Rains, Jeffrey Lynn and Eddie Albert.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—Anna Neagle in "No, No, Nanette," with Richard Carlson, Victor Mature, Roland Young, Helen Broderick, ZaSu Pitts, Eve Arden, Tamara, Billy Gilbert and Stuart Robertson.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Fred Astaire and Paulette Goddard in "Second Chorus," with Artie Shaw and his band, Charles Butterworth and Burgess Meredith.

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT SHOW—Ginger Rogers in "Kitty Foyle," with Dennis Morgan, James Craig, Eduardo Ciannelli, Ernest Cossart and Gladys Cooper.

AT THE CAPITOL

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—James Cagney and Pat O'Brien in "Here Comes the Navy," with Gloria Stuart, Frank McHugh, Dorothy Tree and Robert Barrat.

TUESDAY—Robert Montgomery in "Haunted Honeymoon," with Constance Cummings, Leslie Banks, Sir Seymour Hicks and Robert Newton.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—The March of Time presents "The Ramparts We Watch," with the Nazi terror sequence, "Baptism of Fire."

FRIDAY—Jane Withers in "Youth Will Be Served," with Jane Darwell, Robert Conway, Elyse Knox, Joe Brown, Jr., John Qualen and Charles Holland.

SATURDAY—Roy Rogers in "Young Bill Hickok," with George "Gabby" Hayes, Jacqueline Wells, John Mylan, Sally Payne and Monte Blue.

Cagney And O'Brien In Capitol Hit

'Here Comes The Navy' Is Timely Film Opening Engagement Today

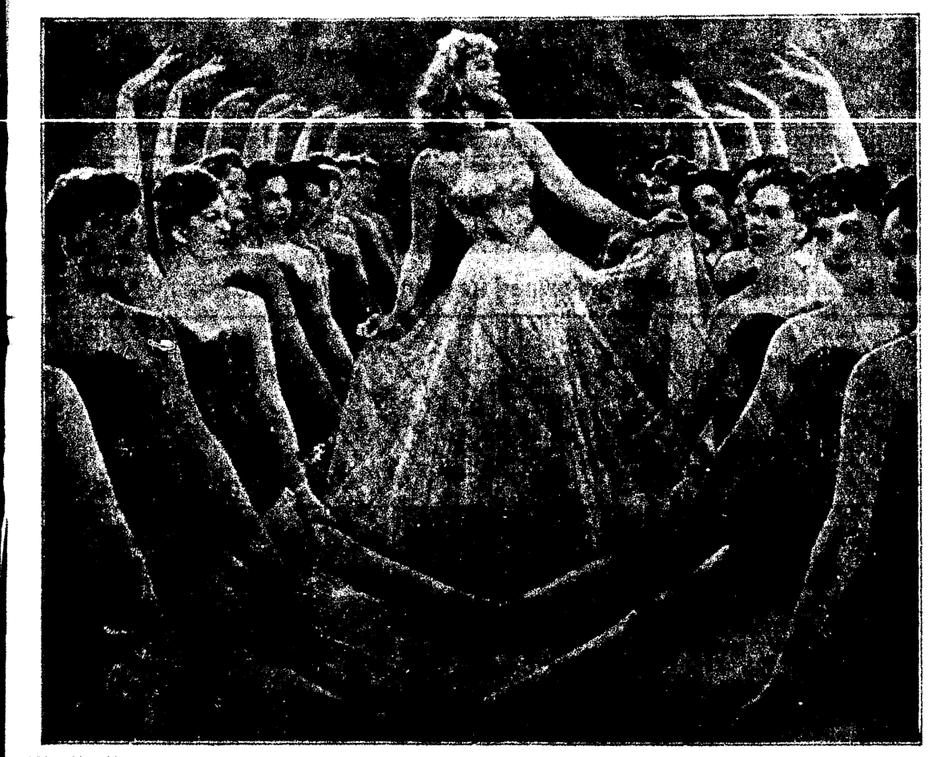
A FEW seasons ago Warner Brothers released a thrilling film about Uncle Sam's tars starring James Cagney and Pat O'Brien called "Here Comes the Navy." It received the undisputed praise of public and critics alike. Since then, world events and the defense program of the American people has given this film more meaning and a stronger appeal than when first shown. Realizing this, Warner Brothers decided to re-issue the film and it will start its local run at the Capitol Theater today.

"Here Comes the Navy" carries some of the most breathtaking thrills ever witnessed, in addition to supplying plenty of hilarious comedy and a glowing romance. The action takes place aboard the U. S. S. Arizona (this is especially significant since such units of the fleet would not be available for motion picture companies at the present time) and at the Naval Training Station at San Diego, Calif.

Cagney and O'Brien have the stellar roles of two virile jack-tars who hate each other with intense fury, the more so because Cagney falls in love with O'Brien's sister, played by Gloria Stuart. They carry on a feud that is punctuated by rapid fire action, winding up in a smashing surprise climax.

There is thrill after thrill in the picture, two of the most awe-inspiring scenes being the rescue of a gun crew from a flaming turret and the saving of a man who has been carried aloft clinging to the ground wire of a dirigible. Another never-to-be-forgotten scene which furnishes much of the film's color shows the entire Pacific fleet starting its cruise for Atlantic waters on presidential command. This is the first time an entire fleet in action has ever been shown in a picture.

Lloyd Bacon directed the film from the screen play by Ben Markson and Earl Baldwin, based on Markson's story.



"No, No, Nanette," the sensational Broadway musical, plays the Paramount screen Wednesday and Thursday. Anna Neagle, star of "Irene," gives a brilliant and scintillating performance as the fascinating ensemble, portrayed above, indicates. Richard Carlson, Victor Mature and Roland Young support Miss Neagle.

KID GLOVES

DRESDEN, Tenn.—(AP)—Guy Smith comes up with the saga of the meticulous twister.

At the home of a friend, he said, the storm unscrewed a water pump from the top of a well pipe. Recovered some distance away, the pump was easily replaced—but one thread stripped—Smith said.

The Congo and its tributaries give Africa more than 5000 miles of navigable waterways.

EXTENDS HIMSELF

NEW YORK—(AP)—Adrian Gollubier, 25, thought the matter over and decided to do his bit by joining the national guard. He applied and was rejected because he stood only 5 feet, 3½ inches, just one-half inch under the minimum.

But Gollubier was not thwarted. He went to a gymnasium each day for six months and practiced the very best stretching exercises. Then he signed up again.

Army officials congratulated him, adding he needn't have extended himself since the minimum had been reduced to an even five feet in the meantime.

The average wage of farm laborers in Costa Rica is only two colons (about 36 cents a day).

CAGNEY SAYS HE'D STILL RATHER SING

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 18.—(AP)—When James Cagney was a poorly paid, unapplauded tap dancer, hoofing the subway and four-a-day circuits stemming from Broadway, a red-haired kid named Bill used to sit in the orchestra to catch the act.

As William Cagney, now producing his brother's pictures, tells it:

"I used to swell up like a poison toad, with pride, you know, when Jimmie came out to dance. The kid was a pretty fair hoofer. I'd look around and tell anybody that would listen: 'Say, that's my brother. Good, ain't he?'

"But dancing would never satisfy him. I could always feel it coming. He'd edge down to the footlights, usually with his arm around some gal from the chorus, and 'a baby spot' would pour pink light on him, and Jimmie would sing.

"Boy, I sunk down into my seat them. I wanted to be out of the way when they started throwing things. It was awful. I mean poisonous.

"You know what? That guy still wants to sing. Honest. I asked him the other day. I said: 'Now, Jimmie, tell me the truth. Which would you prefer? Would you rather be a motion picture actor or would you rather sing better than you do?'

"He said he'd rather sing."

IDA LUPINO FINDS LOVE IN VERY STRANGE PLACES

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Ida Lupino finds love in the strangest places.

In her latest three pictures, this slender actress has carried the torch for a sailor, a mobster and a truck driver.

"Writers seem to realize that a love affair is a love affair, no matter where you find it," she says.

"In different stories the plot requires the lover to have correspondingly different reactions. But the meaning of what Sardou called 'the love hun' doesn't change.

"I suppose it requires a certain amount of versality to do love scenes. I used to be terribly self-conscious in love scenes and each new leading man gave me stag fright.

"Now I don't have time for embarrassment. I'm kept too busy changing lovers.

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Tues.	Roger Pryor, Lucille Fairbanks in "A Fugitive from Justice"
Wed. and Thurs.	Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone, Judy Garland, Fay Holden in "Andy Hardy Meets Debutante"
Fri.	Ralph Bellamy, Jean Cagney, J. Carrol Naish in "Queen of the Mob"
Sat.	Bob Livingston, Raymond Hatton, Duncan Renaldo in "Pioneers of the West"

RIALTO

Today	Myrna Loy, Melvyn Douglas in "Third Finger, Left Hand"
Tues. and Wed.	William Holden, Benita Granville in "Those Were the Days"
Thurs. and Fri.	Ted Butler in "Roll Wagons Roll"
Sat.	Rochelle Hudson, Glenn Ford in "Babies For Sale"

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"Four Mothers"

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COMMITTEES FOR KIWANIS NAMED

Personnel Of Club Groups Announced By President Fleming

Committee personnel of the Monroe Kiwanis Club for the coming year was announced the past week by President Charlie Fleming as follows:

Youth Activity, Ben Parnell, general chairman.

Underprivileged Children: Dr. A. L. Peters, chairman; Dr. C. P. Gray, Dr. W. E. Jones, Dr. I. J. Wolff.

Boys' and Girls' Work: Don Weil, chairman; B. W. Biedenharn, H. J. Barham, T. O. Brown, T. A. Brulte, Ray Updegraff.

Young Builders: C. C. Colvert, chairman; W. O. Webb, Leon Sutton, Milton King.

Vocational Guidance: Jack Hayes, chairman; O. R. Brauer, H. M. James, H. R. Saenger.

Junior Police: Bruce Hitt, chairman; Seymour Solomon, J. E. Johnson, H. H. Benoit, James Dawson.

General Community Service: R. C. Stokes, general chairman.

Agriculture and Industry: S. A. Moss, chairman; Hal Hodges, T. H. Scott, L. L. Price.

Public Affairs: H. F. Madison, chairman; Dr. R. H. Frost, Dr. I. J. Wolff, Louis L. Peters.

Business Standards: Albert Trotter, chairman; Lester Scharff, Jim Drew, Dr. W. E. Jones.

Support of Churches: E. N. Thompson, chairman; E. H. Murrell, W. R. Hammond, E. Jack Selig, Sr.

Administration: Ivy C. Jordan, general chairman.

Kiwanis Education: Jimmy Hirsch, chairman; S. J. Rivoire, J. E. Walsworth, John M. Breard.

Interclub Relations: A. D. Tisdale, chairman; James D. Sparks, W. S. Shafto, A. M. Freeman, Pete Rowe.

Classification and Membership: Vernon Adkins, chairman; Louis Hullum, B. D. Albritton, A. R. Doughty, Ray Updegraff.

Publicity: E. H. Miller, chairman; T. A. Brulte, H. F. Madison.

Club Meetings: Albert Marx, general chairman.

Program and Music: Armand Breard, chairman, "Babe" Holden, Lowry Jefferson, J. B. Kugler, James Dawson, B. D. Albritton, B. W. Biedenharn.

House: D. M. Smith, chairman; A. R. Holloway, H. Nichols, V. C. Spatafora.

Reception: Milton Gorn, chairman; Irving Kilpatrick, J. B. Kugler, D. W. Chandler.

Attendance: Jack Russell, chairman; E. Jack Selif, Sr., A. R. Doughty, Carl Stillman.

Cafelite, a new plastic, is being made from coffee beans. The bean is processed to form a powder which then is molded under pressure.

LARGEST HOG EXHIBITED HERE

"Jolly Jumbo," world's largest living hog, is one of the features of the Trainway Exposition which is showing in Monroe today on the railroad siding by the I. C. Depot. "Jolly Jumbo," standing more than four feet high and weighing three-fourths of a ton, was once shipped from Ft. Worth, Tex., to Chicago by air mail parcel post, to impress upon the public the service rendered by the air mail. The $1,960 worth of stamps which covered the shipment are now owned by President Roosevelt. The exhibit will be continuous from noon until 11 p.m. tonight.

MRS. LUCY DURBIN HEADS LOCAL W. B. A.

Mrs. Lucy Durbin was installed as new president of the Woman's Benefit association, Monroe No. 11, at services conducted by Mrs. Annie Benton, past president, Tuesday night at the Knights of Pythias hall.

Other officers installed for the year were Mrs. Lurline Albright, vice-president; Mrs. Pansy Williams, past president; Mrs. Josie B. Henderson, financial secretary; Mrs. Vivian Kelly, treasurer; Mrs. Georgia Stevens, chaplain; Mrs. Estelle Brantley, junior supervisor; Mrs. Annie Benton, lady of ceremonies; Mrs. Fannie Couch, musician; Mrs. Leona Austin, sergeant; Mrs. Ruby Gideon, recording secretary; Mrs. Julia Tanner, press correspondent.

Mrs. Ethel Johnson, inner hostess; Mrs. Sallie Autrey, outer hostess; Mrs. Ethel Smith, fraternal welfare chairman; Mrs. Mildred Lucky, captain of guards; Mrs. Daisy Nord, officer of day; Mrs. Edna Force, Miss W. B. A.; Miss LaVern Brantley, Miss America; Miss Evelyn Johnson, color bearer; Mrs. Elaine Hislop, Mrs. Ola Mobley, and Mrs. Beulah Baskin, color bearers; Mrs. Lottie Wooten, Mrs. Myrtle Stubbs, ensigns.

Captain Mildred Lucky directed the guards in fire formation and escorted and seated the newly-installed officers.

'MILE OF DIMES' CARDS SENT OUT

Mailed By Local Chapter Of Foundation For Infantile Paralysis

Seven thousand cards for contributions to the "Mile of Dimes" annual campaign against infantile paralysis were mailed this week by the Ouachita parish chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, A. N. Robinson, parish chairman, announced Saturday. An additional thousand is being distributed among the various schools.

The campaign held each year in celebration of the president's birthday will be discussed in a radio address by Howell Heard, chairman of the West Monroe drive, at 5 p.m. Monday over station KMLB.

The work of addressing the 7,000 cards was contributed to the campaign by members of the Literary Guild, Junior Guild of Grace church, Twentieth Century Book club, Current Literary club, Welcome Branch Book club, Business and Professional Women's club of the Y. W. C. A., Women's International Union Label league, Altrusa club, and Missouri Pacific Boosters club.

The slogan of the 1941 campaign, "Help the Youngster Around Your Own Corner," is the theme of the message on the contribution cards. Spaces inside will accommodate 16 dimes and four quarters, or a bill, check or money order made payable to the local chairman. The cards should be returned in the addressed envelopes on which no postage is required.

A pitiful appeal for help against the dreaded disease is contained in the message, which is as follows:

We are the youngsters around your own corner.

"We know that terrible things are happening all over the world—but please don't forget us. Something terrible has already happened to us—and it is very hard to bear.

"Right now, we need your help more than ever before. Won't you ask your friends please fill this card and mail it today? That will help us get well, and save other children from being crippled like us.

"Please help us.

"In 1940 there were serious infantile paralysis epidemics in many states. The dime you gave last year helped send doctors, nurses, iron lungs, braces, splints, etc., into these states and contributed to the prevention and control of the disease and to the determined and unending search for its cause.

"In addition to these nation-wide services, the afflicted youngsters of your own community received direct and immediate help from the monies collected."

Miniature banks have been set up in various places to receive contributions from persons who do not receive cards, Chairman Robinson stated.

174 JOIN RANKS OF DISTRICT CCC

Another Procurement To Be Held January 27, Director States

Approximately 174 white youths were enrolled Friday in the civilian conservation corps from the 12 parishes comprising the Monroe district of the intake and certification bureau, M. B. Bowman, district director, announced yesterday. A large number of these enrollees will be sent to western camps, after a short conditioning period in Louisiana CCC camps.

Another procurement will be held January 27, Mr. Bowman stated. The bureau is having difficulty in filling the quotas allotted, the director said, and urged all interested young men to apply at once to their respective parish offices of the intake and certification bureau. Youths between the ages of 17 and 23 are eligible.

A new ruling on allotments for all CCC enrollees went into effect this month, according to Mr. Bowman. The rule states that a youth with dependents will allot $15 to be sent to them each month. Seven dollars will be deposited with the finance department, to be paid the enrollee at the expiration of his term of service, and eight dollars will be given the enrollee for current expenses and spending money, the director explained. If the enrollee is an orphan or his family does not need the allotment, a deposit of $22 per month must be made, the rule states.

Some proof of their ages, such as a birth certificate, family Bible record, school certificate, or old life insurance policy, must be presented by applicants when interviewed.

Parishes comprising the Monroe district are Caldwell, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Morehouse, Ouachita, Tensas, Union and West Carroll.

HOTEL CATCHES FIRE

Explosion of a kerosene lamp started a blaze which caused slight damage to the Turner hotel building at 11th and DeSiard streets, according to local firemen who answered the alarm at 1:55 a.m. Saturday.

RECREATION BOARD TO DISCUSS CENTER

Members of the Monroe recreation board will meet at 4 p.m. Monday in the office of W. C. Oliver, Ouachita Bank building, to discuss plans for a local recreation center, Miss Lucyle Godwin, superintendent of the recreation department, announced yesterday.

Members of the board are A. B. Clarkson, chairman; Dr. B. M. McKoin, vice-chairman; Mrs. Charles Mitchell, secretary; W. C. Oliver, treasurer; J. L. Madden, national sponsor; Miss Julia Wossman, G. B. Cooley, H. F. Madison, F. L. Jones, Sam Rubin and A. E. Givens. Dr. C. P. Gray, Jr., also a board member, has been inducted into army service.

STRESSES VALUE OF CIVIC CLUBS

George D. Holland Is Speaker At Civitan Meeting At Hotel

The Monroe Civitan club held an open meeting at Hotel Frances, Friday night, at which time the speaker was George D. Holland, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. He took for his theme "The Importance of a Civitan Club to the Community."

The speaker stressed the need for men to enter service or civic organizations not for what they can get out of them, but for what they can give to the groups.

Rev. Ernest D Holloway served as chaplain of the meeting and Max Kulcke contributed his services as accompanist in the song program.

Civitan creeds and membership certificates were presented to John Atkinson, Willis Cox, and John Spatafora. Because of illness, the creed and certificate of John H. Stovall, one of the club's first members, will be delivered later.

J. L. Neely, field secretary, stated Saturday that membership in the club is showing a healthy growth and it is expected that by February 1, there will be 25 men enrolled.

The next club meeting will be on Wednesday, January 22, at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are all held in Hotel Frances. This meeting will be ladies' night and a suitable program will be arranged. Supper will be served on this occasion.

ASSESSOR, DEPUTY TO ATTEND MEETING

Bert Coverdale, who recently took office as Ouachita parish tax assessor, and Walter Rhodes, chief deputy assessor, will leave Monroe Monday for Baton Rouge for the annual state convention of tax officials.

The convention, which opens Tuesday, will continue two or three days.

PRESIDENT APPROVES WARD NINE PROJECT

A wire was received here Saturday from Senator Allen J. Ellender in Washington, D. C., to the effect that the president has approved WPA project No. 50,120, for the reconstruction and improvement of the Head Hendrix road near Luna in Ward 9, with an allotment of $18,450.

The project, the wire stated, is now eligible for operation at the discretion of the state administrator.

The road in question is one of five or more that the local police jur submitted for improvement at W and state expense.

MAN HELD FOR LARCENY

Charged with larceny of merchand valued at less than $20, Jack Clift Alexandria, was being held Saturd in the parish jail. Trial of Clift who allegedly took several artic from the W. C. Grant company brar store here, will be held during st court day Friday, according to Ch Frank V. Reitzell.

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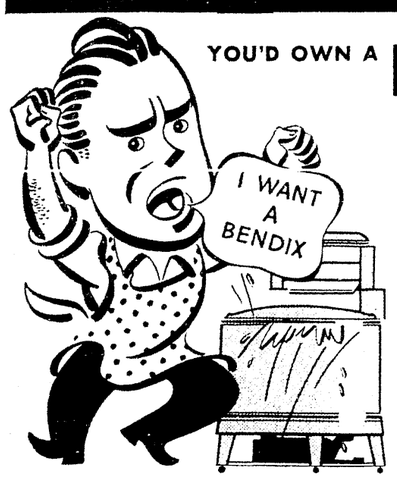

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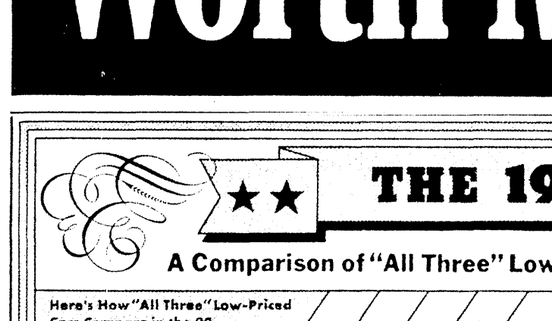

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WHOLESOME HUMOR FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

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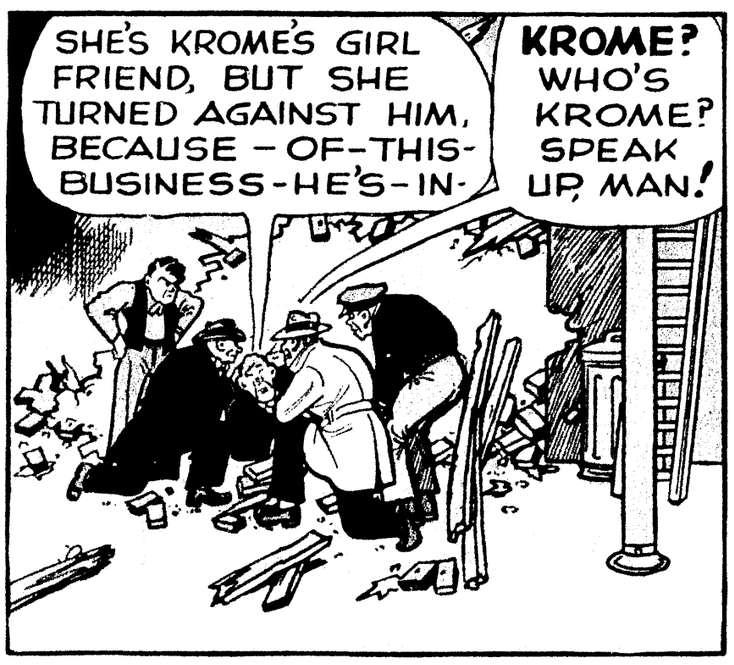
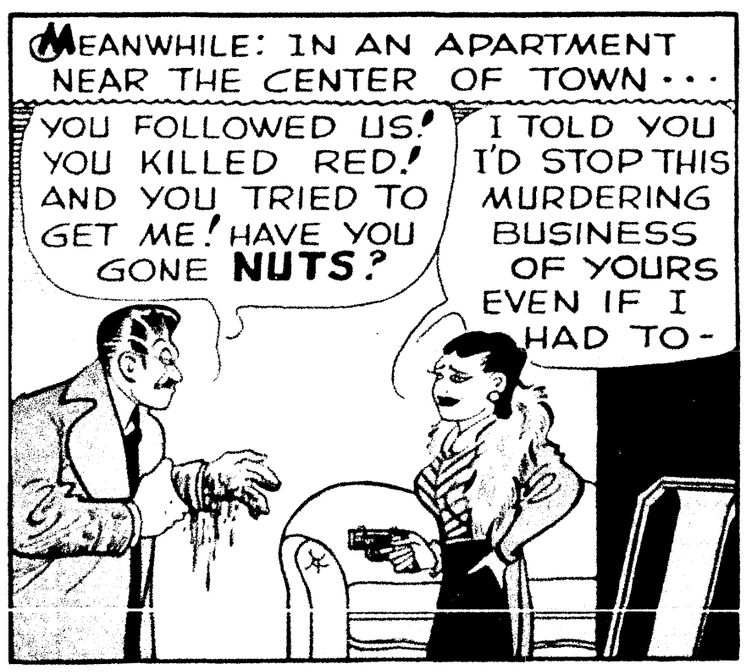
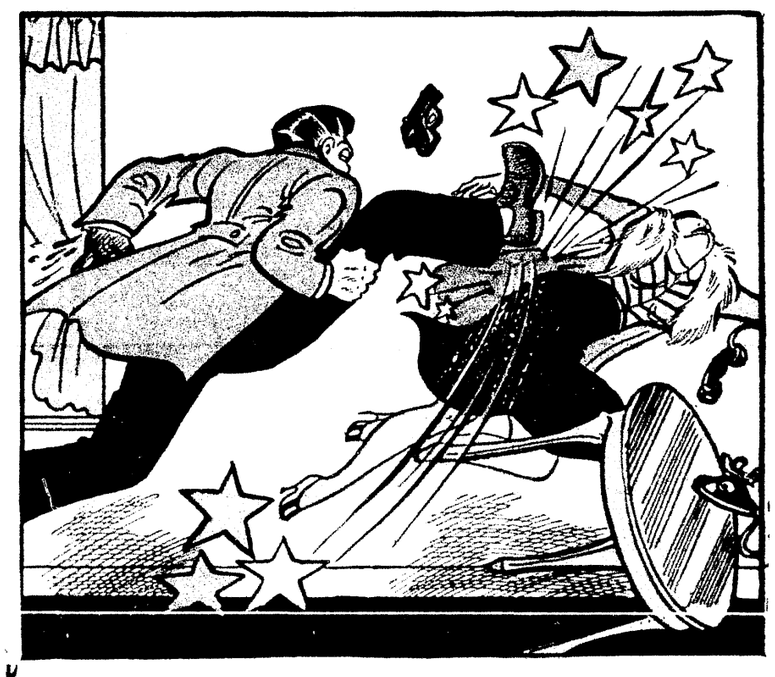
DICK TRACY

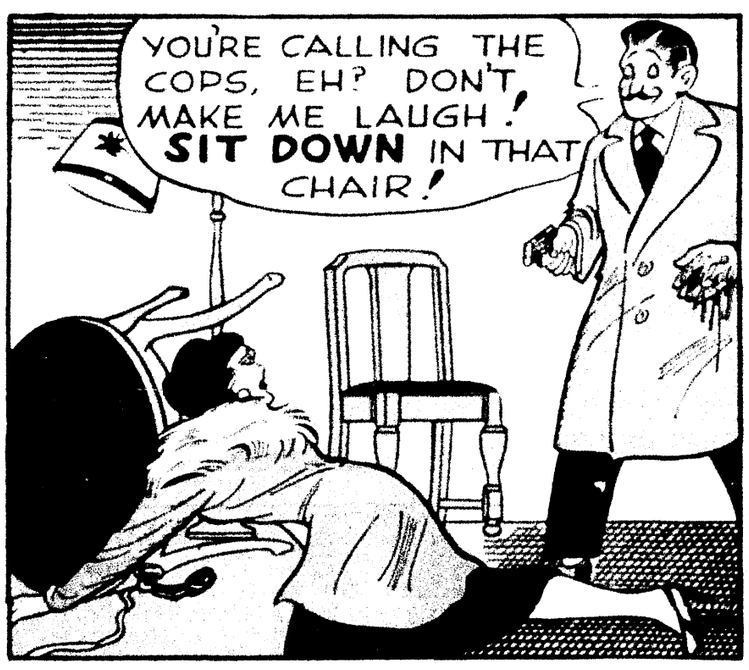
WHEN YOU HURLED THAT NITRO BOMB YOU GOT ONE OF 'EM, BUT THE OTHER ONE GOT AWAY!
I HEARD A WOMAN'S VOICE OUTSIDE AND TWO SHOTS JUST BEFORE I THREW IT!

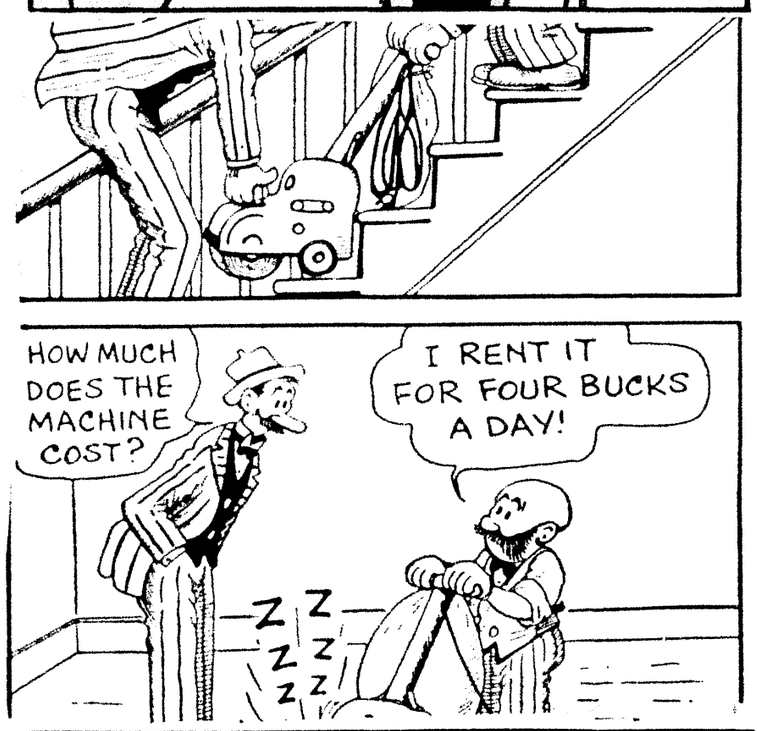



MEANWHILE: IN AN APARTMENT NEAR THE CENTER OF TOWN . . .
YOU FOLLOWED US! YOU KILLED RED! AND YOU TRIED TO GET ME! HAVE YOU GONE NUTS?
I TOLD YOU I'D STOP THIS MURDERING BUSINESS OF YOURS EVEN IF I HAD TO -

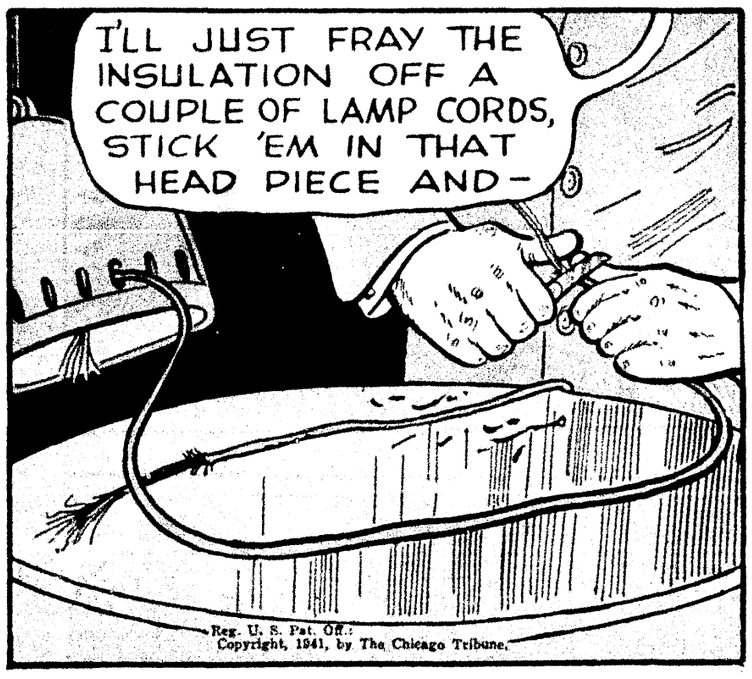
WELL, YOU SURE TURNED OUT TO BE A GREAT PAL. I SHOULD HAVE TAKEN YOU MORE SERIOUSLY AND BEAT YOU TO IT!
IT'S TOO LATE NOW, KROME! I'M CALLING THE COPS.







YOU MADE ME BUY YOU THIS HAIR DRYER BECAUSE YOU WERE AFRAID TO GO OUT ON THE STREET TO A BEAUTY PARLOR. WELL, WE'RE GOING TO USE IT NOW!



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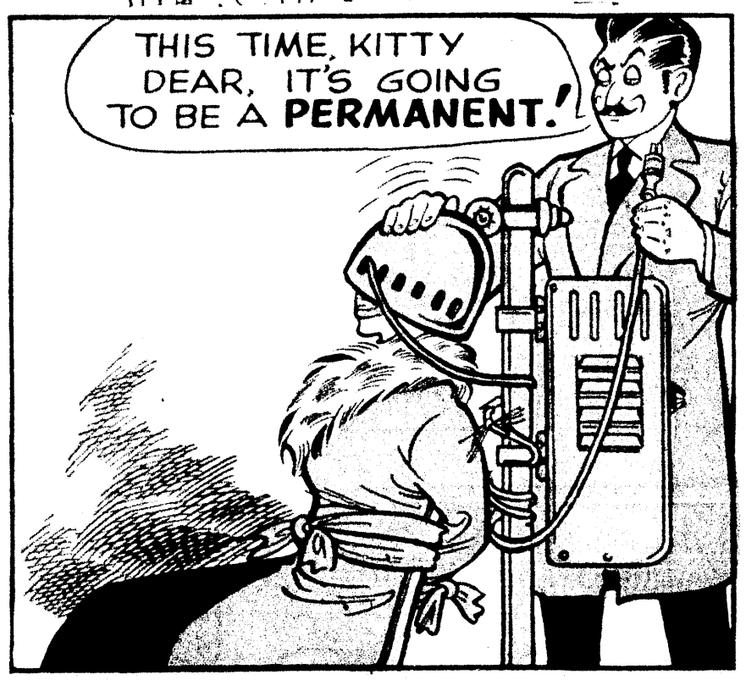


Tarzan

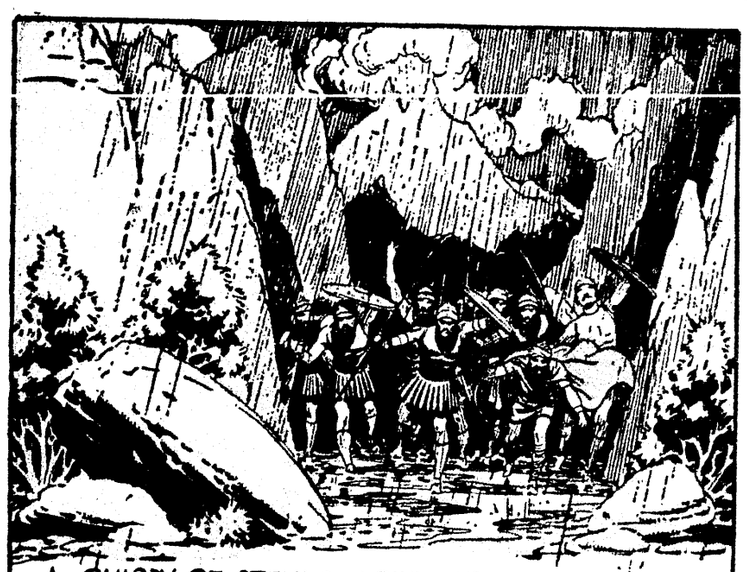
by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

THE GREAT ERUPTION

WITH A TITANIC EXPLOSION THE VOLCANO BURST INTO FULL ERUPTION

ROCKS AND FIERY MASSES ROARED FROM THE MONSTROUS THROAT OF THE MOUNTAIN AND FELL AMONG THE SCREAMING FUGITIVES.

AS HE RAN, TARZAN HUGGED LEECIA CLOSE, TO SHIELD HER FROM THE LETHAL HAIL.



A CANOPY OF STEAM BILLOWED UP; HOT RAIN FELL IN ASH-LADEN TORRENTS.

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ALREADY THE RISING TIDE OF MUD AND ASHES WAS MEASURING THE CITY FOR DOOM.

WHEN THE FUGITIVES REACHED THE CITY, TARZAN URGED THEM TO CONTINUE THEIR FLIGHT.

NEXT WEEK: **EARTHQUAKE!**

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JOE PALOOKA

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By HAM FISHER

AWRIGHT FELLAS--NOW RIGHT HOOK-I MEAN SWING THE BUTT--JIST LIKE A RIGHT HOOK.
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NICE WORK.NOW AS YOU WAS-- --WERE--
SAY JOE--TONY SAYS YOU BETTER GET OVER SOON AS YOU'RE THRU.
HULLO TONY. READY FER ME?
SHOO' MEESTA JOE. HOPPA IN DA CHAIR.
JIST TRIM IT. NONE A THEM FANCY HAIR-CUTS YOU BEEN WANTIN' T'TRY ON ME.
HAW! HAW! HOKAY JOE. I FEEXA LIKE IN NOO YORK.
MOE, MY ASSIT--- HE'S A WRITE-- HE SAY DE FIGHT BOONCH MEES YOU AN' ME--AROUN' BROADWAY--
DID YA SEE THE NEWS THIS MORNING. ---THEM DICTATERS
YOU KNOW WHATTA SHOULDA BE DOSE A BUMS?? I'M GONNA TOLE YOU! DOSE DIRTY DICATATE--
'EE SHOULDA ALL HAVE A D'NOSE CUT OFF!! EEF I GOTTA CHANCE I TAKE A DOSE BUMS--
I CHASE 'EEM UP D'TELEPHONE A POLE--I KEEP ON A CHASE HEEM--I TEKKA MY RAZA--
ONE--TWO--TREE--I CUTTA OFFA BOT' A D'EAR!
GULP
SWISH
I POOSHA D'FESS RIGHT EEN D'GROUN' --BOT DATSA NOTTIN'- DEN WHATTA YOU TEENK I DO?
I FEEX DOSE A BUMS, EH JOE? BETTA NEV'A COME HERE.
UH--I'LL SAY.
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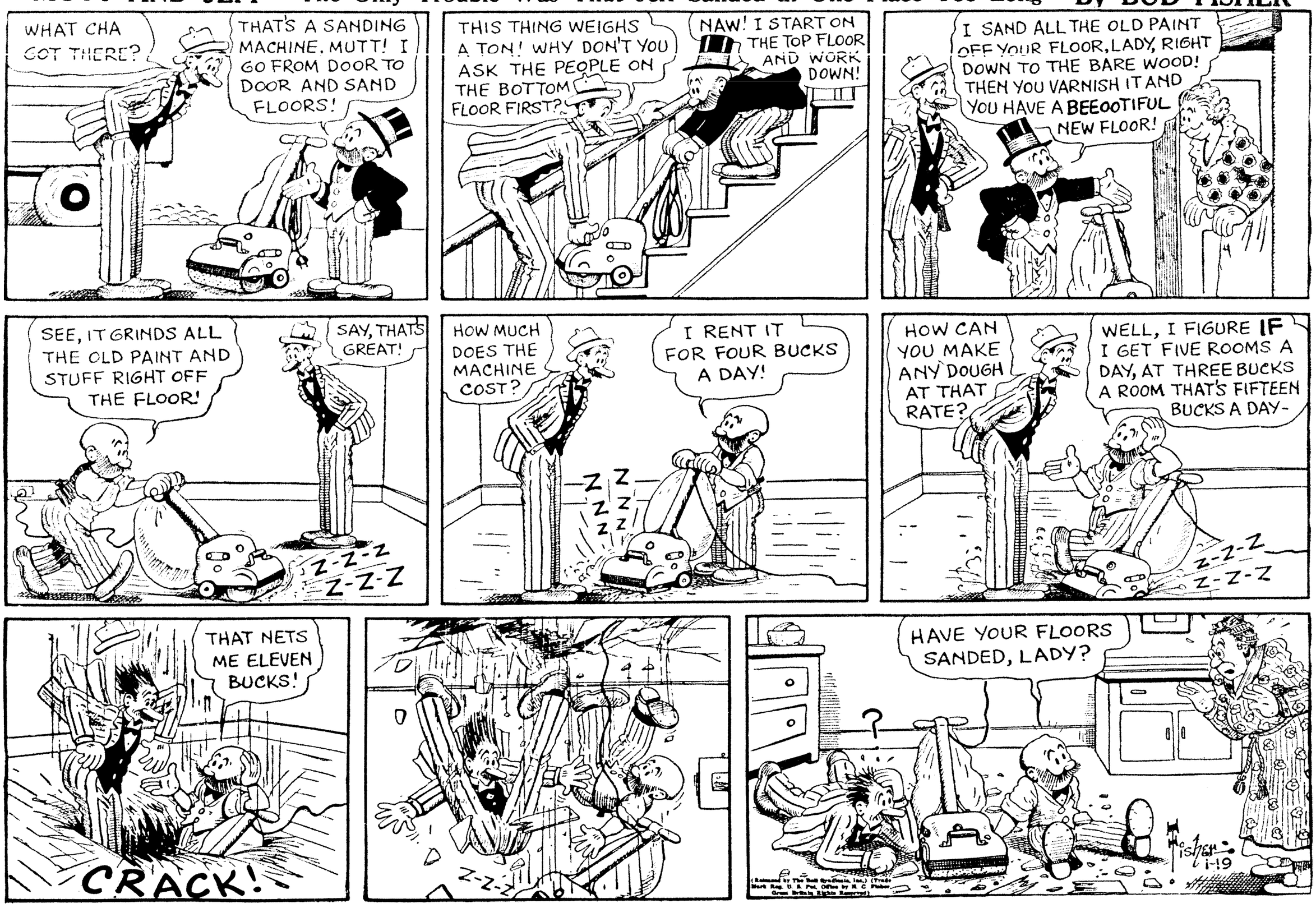
BUT WHAT HAPPENED? YOU WAS OKAY A HOUR AGO.
JIST DON'T DISCUSS DICTATERS WHEN YER IN TONY'S CHAIR.
HAM FISHER

MUTT AND JEFF —The Only Trouble Was That Jeff Sanded in One Place Too Long— By BUD FISHER


WHAT CHA GOT THERE?
THAT'S A SANDING MACHINE, MUTT! I GO FROM DOOR TO DOOR AND SAND FLOORS!
THIS THING WEIGHS A TON! WHY DON'T YOU ASK THE PEOPLE ON THE BOTTOM FLOOR FIRST?
NAW! I START ON THE TOP FLOOR AND WORK DOWN!
I SAND ALL THE OLD PAINT OFF YOUR FLOOR, LADY, RIGHT DOWN TO THE BARE WOOD! THEN YOU VARNISH IT AND YOU HAVE A BEEOOTIFUL NEW FLOOR!
SEE, IT GRINDS ALL THE OLD PAINT AND STUFF RIGHT OFF THE FLOOR!
SAY, THAT'S GREAT!
Z-Z-Z
Z-Z-Z
HOW MUCH DOES THE MACHINE COST?
I RENT IT FOR FOUR BUCKS A DAY!
Z Z Z Z Z Z
HOW CAN YOU MAKE ANY DOUGH AT THAT RATE?
WELL, I FIGURE IF I GET FIVE ROOMS A DAY, AT THREE BUCKS A ROOM THAT'S FIFTEEN BUCKS A DAY-
Z-Z-Z
Z-Z-Z
THAT NETS ME ELEVEN BUCKS!
CRACK!
Z-Z-Z
HAVE YOUR FLOORS SANDED, LADY?
?
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YANKEE DOODLE

by FRANK TINSLEY

AS SAILORS FROM THE BLACK COLUMN SUB WORK SWIFTLY TO RAISE THE SECRET U.S. NAVY ENGINE FROM THE SUNKEN AIR LINER "CARIBEE," **YANKEE DOODLE'S** POWERFUL STROKES PROPEL HIM TOWARD THE WRECK!...

THERE'S THE DIVER WORKING ON THE ENGINE — MUST SURPRISE HIM!

-CUT HIS PHONE LINE!

WHAT THE...!

THERE GOES HIS AIR-HOSE!

THAT FINISHES HIM, POOR DEVIL — LUCKY MY CRASH-HELMET STOPPED HIS AXE — OR I'D HAVE BEEN A GONER, TOO!

I'LL WRECK THEIR HOISTING TACKLE!

..LUNGS...BURSTING... GOT TO...GET *AIR!*

HE'S EXHAUSTED — I MUST HIDE HIM QUICKLY!

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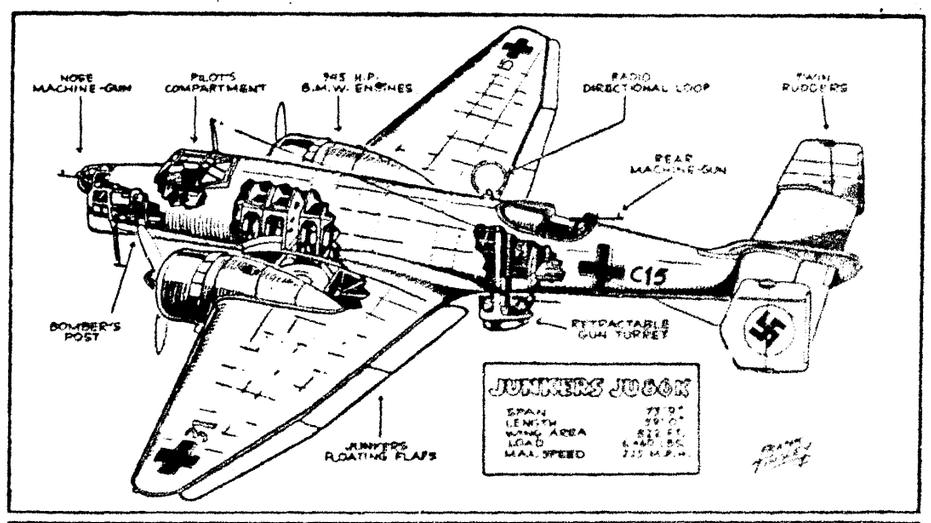

SAVE THIS FOR YOUR COLLECTION
YANKEE DOODLE AERO ALBUM

DIXIE DUGAN

By J. P. McEVOY and J. H. STRIEBEL

OH-OH! THERE'S A BLACK CAT! WE CAN'T CROSS HIS PATH!

I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE SO SUPERSTITIOUS

CALL IT THAT IF YOU WANT — I JUST DON'T BELIEVE IN TEMPTING FATE!

BREAD AND *BUTTER!*

SAY BREAD AND BUTTER, DIXIE. SOMEONE WALKED BETWEEN US

BREAD AND BUTTER

LET'S GET A STEAK!

SWELL! I'M STARVED

GRANT

STEAKS AND CHOPS

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DIXIE'S SMART WINTER SUIT DESIGNED BY JR. EDITOR LORRAINE BENTLY, CHICAGO, ILL.

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MARJORIE LINSMITH, COLUMBUS, IND.
MARILYN SONDOCK, HOUSTON, TEXAS
JOAN BAIER, MADISON, WISCONSIN

THE SALT, PLEASE

OH-OH! SPILLING SALT MEANS I'M GONNA HAVE A FIGHT!

— UNLESS I TOSS SOME OVER MY LEFT SHOULDER LIKE *THIS*

OW!

THROW SALT IN MY EYES, WILL YA?!

J. H. STRIEBEL

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THE GUMPS

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COME WITH ME, CHESTER—THERE'S SOMETHING OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE THAT I WANT TO DISCUSS WITH YOU—

SURE, UNCLE BIM—

BG

GUS EDSON

THAT'S RIGHT, SON—THE STORAGE PLACE OF A LARGE PART OF MY FORTUNE—

GEE, UNCLE BIM—THIS IS YOUR BANK!

GLIMP ATTYNG BANK

THE KEY TO MY PRIVATE VAULT, PENN

YES, MR. GUMP

AFTER YOU, CHESTER!

GOSH, UNCLE BIM—LOOK AT ALL THAT MONEY!!

GOSH! THIS IS MORE MONEY THAN THERE IS IN THE WHOLE WORLD!

AH, YES, MY BOY—THIS IS WHAT I WANT TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT—

SON—MONEY IN ITSELF IS OF NO USE—ONE CAN NEITHER EAT IT WHEN HUNGRY, NOR BUILD A HOUSE OF IT—BUT IT DOES REPRESENT POWER—

YES—IT'S EITHER A POWER FOR GOOD OR FOR EVIL—ACCORDING TO HOW ONE USES IT—SOME DAY, CHESTER, THIS WILL ALL BE YOURS—

IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN MY MOST CHERISHED WISH THAT WHEN THE TIME ARRIVES, YOU USE THIS GREAT HERITAGE WITH A WISE HEAD AND A SYMPATHETIC HEART—

NOW FOR YOUR FIRST LESSON—HERE'S FIVE DOLLARS—SPEND IT AS YOU WILL—BUT BRING ME LATER A DETAILED REPORT ON JUST WHAT YOU'VE DONE WITH IT—

OHH, THANKS, UNCLE BIM—

OH, BOY! WHAT A LUCKY KID I AM!!

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GOSH—I'LL BET THAT POOR LITTLE GIRL HASN'T ANYBODY LIKE UNCLE BIM TO GIVE HER MONEY—HMM—

APPLES

ER—I ALWAYS LIKED APPLES, ANYHOW—

OH—I HAVEN'T CHANGE OF FIVE DOLLARS!

KEEP THE CHANGE, PLEASE! I'M SURE UNCLE BIM WOULD LIKE ME TO DO IT THIS WAY—

B-BUT—

$5

APPLES

SHUT UP, YOU LITTLE FOOL!

APPLES

MOON MULLINS by Frank Willard

HECK! A SWELL AFTERNOON LIKE THIS AND MAMIE SAYS IF I DON'T STAY IN AND STUDY MY HOMEWORK I'LL GROW UP TO BE A DUMBBELL LIKE YOU, UNCLE WILLIE.

TUT-TUT. YER AUNT MAMIE DON'T MEAN EVERY THING SHE SAYS.

MAYBE UNCLE WILLIE KNOWS WHAT HE'S TALKIN' ABOUT AT THAT HE'S LIVED WITH HER LONGER'N I HAVE.

WELL OF ALL THINGS!

HALT! STOP RIGHT WHERE YOU'RE AT, KAYO!

OH!

I CAN'T!

HALP!

OOP!

I GOT YOU, LADY.

WHADDA YOU MEAN, I'M "OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW NOT TO BE DOIN' CIRCUS-SOLLY STUNTS ON A SLED?" WHY, YOU BIG STUPID LOOKIN' SAP----*!!

THIS WOULDN'T OF HAPPENED IF YOU'D STAYED HOME AND STUDIED YOUR LESSONS LIKE I TOLD YOU TO!

WELL, UNCLE WILLIE TOLD ME YOU DIDN'T MEAN WHAT YOU SAID, MAMIE.

MAMIE HAD A ARGUMENT WITH A POLICEMAN?

I'LL SAY SHE DID! AND SHE'S GONNA GIVE YOU ONE WHEN SHE GETS HOME.

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IF YOU'RE SMART ENOUGH TO TAKE MY ADVICE, YOU'LL DO LIKE THAT COP DID, AND USE YER FEET.

YOU MEAN HE KICKED HER?

NO! HE GOT ON HIS AND GOT AWAY.

Willard

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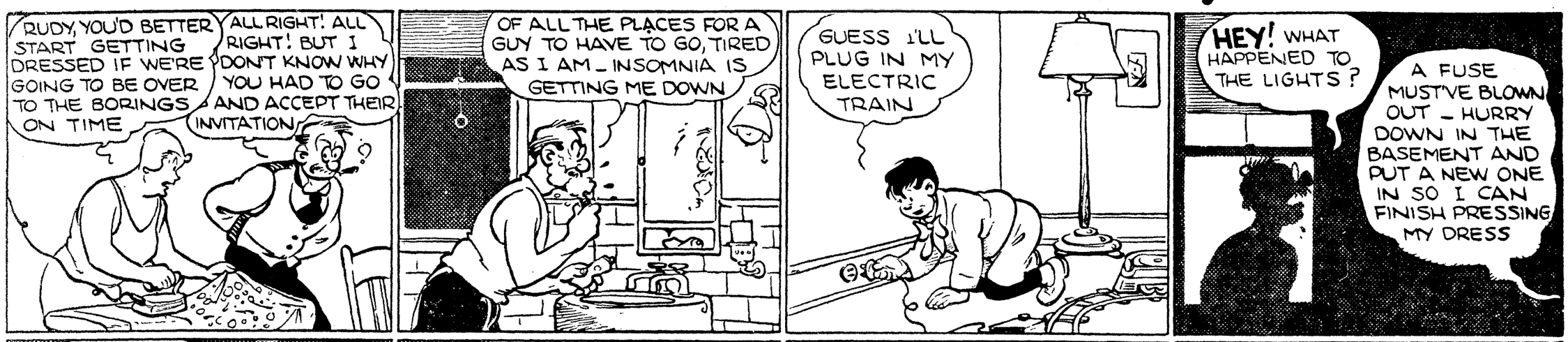
THE NEBBS • Rudy Refuses • By SOL HESS


RUDY, YOU'D BETTER START GETTING DRESSED IF WE'RE GOING TO BE OVER TO THE BORINGS ON TIME
ALL RIGHT! ALL RIGHT! BUT I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU HAD TO GO AND ACCEPT THEIR INVITATION
OF ALL THE PLACES FOR A GUY TO HAVE TO GO, TIRED AS I AM - INSOMNIA IS GETTING ME DOWN
GUESS I'LL PLUG IN MY ELECTRIC TRAIN
HEY! WHAT HAPPENED TO THE LIGHTS?
A FUSE MUST'VE BLOWN OUT - HURRY DOWN IN THE BASEMENT AND PUT A NEW ONE IN SO I CAN FINISH PRESSING MY DRESS
CAN'T FIND A FLASHLIGHT AND NOT A CANDLE IN THE HOUSE - THIS IS A SWELL JOINT
YES, DEAR - IT'S ALL MY FAULT!
IT'S A LUCKY THING WE'VE GOT ONE GOOD FUSE LEFT
AW, NERTZ! I FORGOT TO LOCATE THE SHORT FIRST AND THERE GOES OUR ONLY FUSE
SPST-T
WELL, WE CAN'T GO IF I CAN'T PRESS THAT DRESS
AND I CAN'T GO WITH ONLY HALF MY FACE SHAVED SO THERE'S NOTHING TO DO BUT GO TO BED - THANK GOODNESS!
WHAT A BREAK FOR ME! I'M SO TIRED I COULD GO TO SLEEP INSIDE A BUSY CONCRETE MIXER
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RUDY! RUDY! WAKE UP!
WHAT IS IT - WHAT'S THE MATTER, FANNY?
ARE YOU SURE YOU DIDN'T CAUSE THOSE FUSES TO BLOW OUT ON PURPOSE?
FOR THE HUNDREDTH TIME I TELL YOU - I DIDN'T -!
WELL, YOU CAN'T DENY YOU WOULD HAVE IF YOU HAD THOUGHT OF IT
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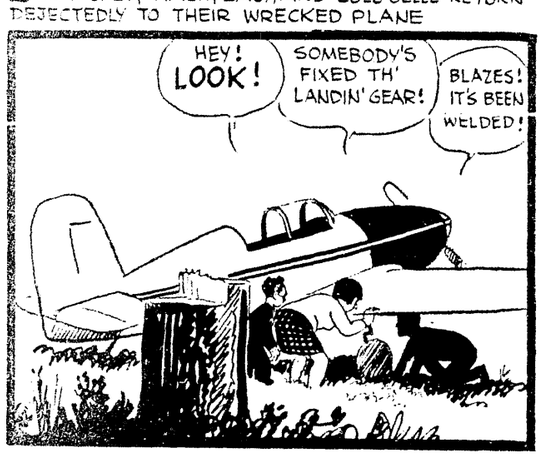
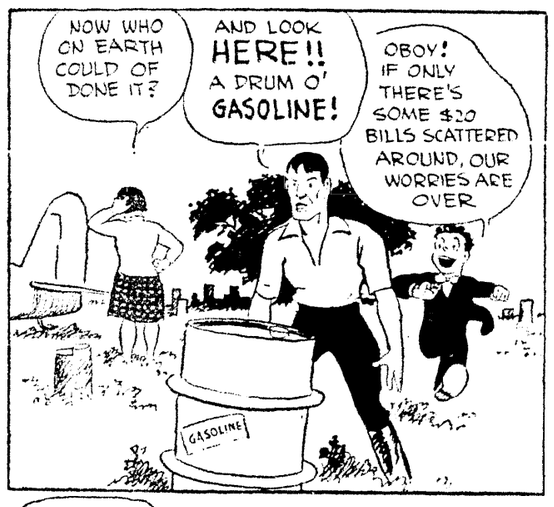
ON FAR-OFF GUATEMALA, WITHOUT FRIENDS, JOBS, OR MONEY, WASH, EASY, AND LULU BELLE RETURN DEJECTEDLY TO THEIR WRECKED PLANE




NOW WHO ON EARTH COULD OF DONE IT?
AND LOOK HERE!! A DRUM O' GASOLINE!
OBOY! IF ONLY THERE'S SOME $20 BILLS SCATTERED AROUND, OUR WORRIES ARE OVER
GASOLINE

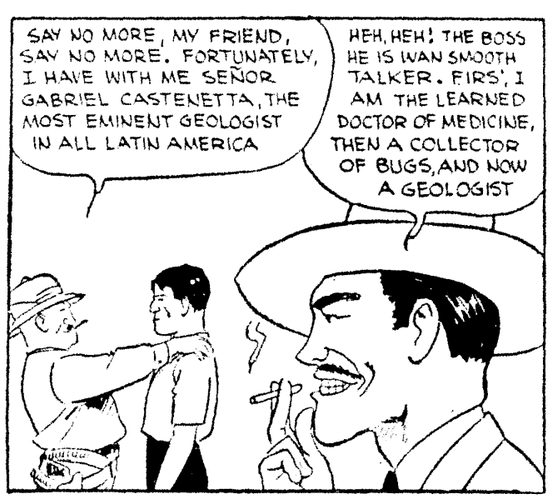
CAPTAIN EASY by ROY CRANE T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

SOLDIER OF FORTUNE

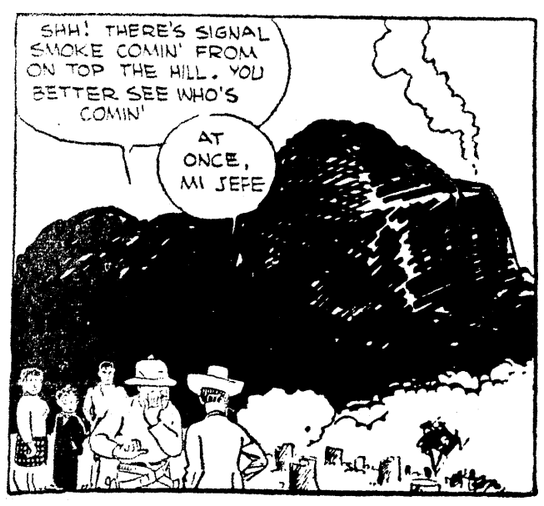
WELL, WELL, WELL! FELLOW AMERICANS! GREETINGS AND SALUTATIONS! WENDEL WHISTLE-STOP, THA'S ME — JUST CALL ME WENDY. HOPE YOU DIDN'T MIND MY TINKERING ON YOUR PLANE
BLAZES, NO!

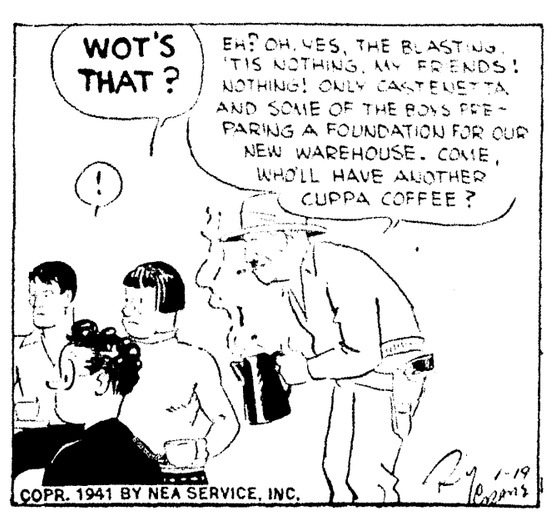
CAPTAIN EASY, SUH! YOUR ETERNAL SERVANT
AND I'M LULU BELLE. WE COME DOWN TO TAKE JOBS WI' TH BIGHEART LAND AND PETROLEUM COMPANY, ONLY TO LEARN IT WENT BROKE SIX YEARS AGO
NOW AIN'T THAT A CO-INCIDENCE! I'M THE REPRESENTATIVE FOR A NEWLY ORGANIZED COMPANY OF THE SAME NAME, AND I'M LOOKING FOR HELP

LITTLE BOY! SAY, LISTEN HERE! I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW I'M A FULL GROWN MAN! I'M A.. SPUT!
SHH! FER PITY SAKES!
NOW TAKE A SMART MAN LIKE YOU, CAP'N. I BET YOU KNOW PLENTY ABOUT OIL PROSPECTIN', HEY?
NOTHING, SUH


SAY NO MORE, MY FRIEND, SAY NO MORE. FORTUNATELY, I HAVE WITH ME SEÑOR GABRIEL CASTENETTA, THE MOST EMINENT GEOLOGIST IN ALL LATIN AMERICA
HEH, HEH! THE BOSS HE IS WAN SMOOTH TALKER. FIRS', I AM THE LEARNED DOCTOR OF MEDICINE, THEN A COLLECTOR OF BUGS, AND NOW A GEOLOGIST

HMM! YOU CARRY A LOT O' GUNS FOR PROSPECTORS, SUH
YES, INDEED! WILDEST PART OF GUATEMALA! INDIANS! NEVER KNOW WOT'LL HAPPEN! AH, SEÑOR CASTENETTA, ONE MOMENT, PLEASE




WOT'S THAT?
!
EH? OH, YES, THE BLASTING. 'TIS NOTHING, MY FRIENDS! NOTHING! ONLY CASTENETTA AND SOME OF THE BOYS PREPARING A FOUNDATION FOR OUR NEW WAREHOUSE. COME, WHO'LL HAVE ANOTHER CUPPA COFFEE?
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

AH, KING WINTER IN ALL HIS MAJESTY! THIS BRACING AIR IS LIKE A TONIC — EGAD, NOTHING COULD DISMAY ME ON A MORNING LIKE THIS!

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

OOP! SPUTT-TT!

MY WORD! NOW WHAT?

ROUSTABOUTS! THUGS! GAMINS! CANAILLE! — A PLAGUE ON ALL OF YOU!

LOOK OUT, MISTER! — TOO LATE!

MAJOR HOOPLE

DRAT IT! — I HOPE I WAS NOT OBSERVED — THAT WAS A MOST EMBARRASSING FALL!

BY JOVE, I'M A BIT LAME FROM THAT NASTY SPILL! — I'D BETTER APPLY SOME LINIMENT TO THE SPOT WHEN I GET HOME! — SURELY NOTHING MORE CAN HAPPEN TO ME NOW!

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ALLEY OOP

AFTER A RATHER HECTIC NIGHT IN HIS LUXURIOUS APARTMENT, OUR HERO, WHO HAS ESTABLISHED HIMSELF HIGH IN CLEOPATRA'S FAVOR, AWAKENS WITH THE COMING OF THE BRILLIANT EGYPTIAN DAWN

HOHUM!

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WHOOSH! I GUESS IT'S TIME TO GIT UP

MY GOSH! ARE YOU CRITTERS STILL IN HERE?

PURRR PURRRR

GOOD MORNING, GENERAL OOP... I TRUST YOU RESTED WELL... WHAT WILL BE YOUR PLEASURE FOR BREAKFAST?

BREAKFAST? EATS? NOW YER TALKIN'!

MIGHT I SUGGEST BROILED HIPPOPOTAMUS STEAK SMOTHERED IN LOTUS BUDS? NO, NO, MASTER, YOU NEEDN'T ARISE

BUT...

IN EGYPT, YOU KNOW, MEN OF HIGH STATION ALWAYS TAKE THEIR BREAKFAST IN BED

BREAKFAST IN BED?? WHY, I'VE NEVER HEARD OF SUCH!

WELL, OKAY-- HAVE IT YER OWN WAY! BRING ON TH' CHOW!

BREAKFAST IN BED! HEH! WOULDN'T THIS JUST ABOUT KILL MY OL' PALS BACK IN MOO!

PRETTY SWELL!

I CAN EVEN OVERLOOK HAVIN' THEM CRITTERS IN HERE WITH ME

HERE YOU ARE, SIR!

SAY! BY GOLLY, THIS IS SERVICE! YES SIR!

BOYOBOY, DOES THIS LOOK SCRUMPTIOUS! MMM, MMM YUMMY!

SNIFF SNIFF ??

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Katzenjammer Kids

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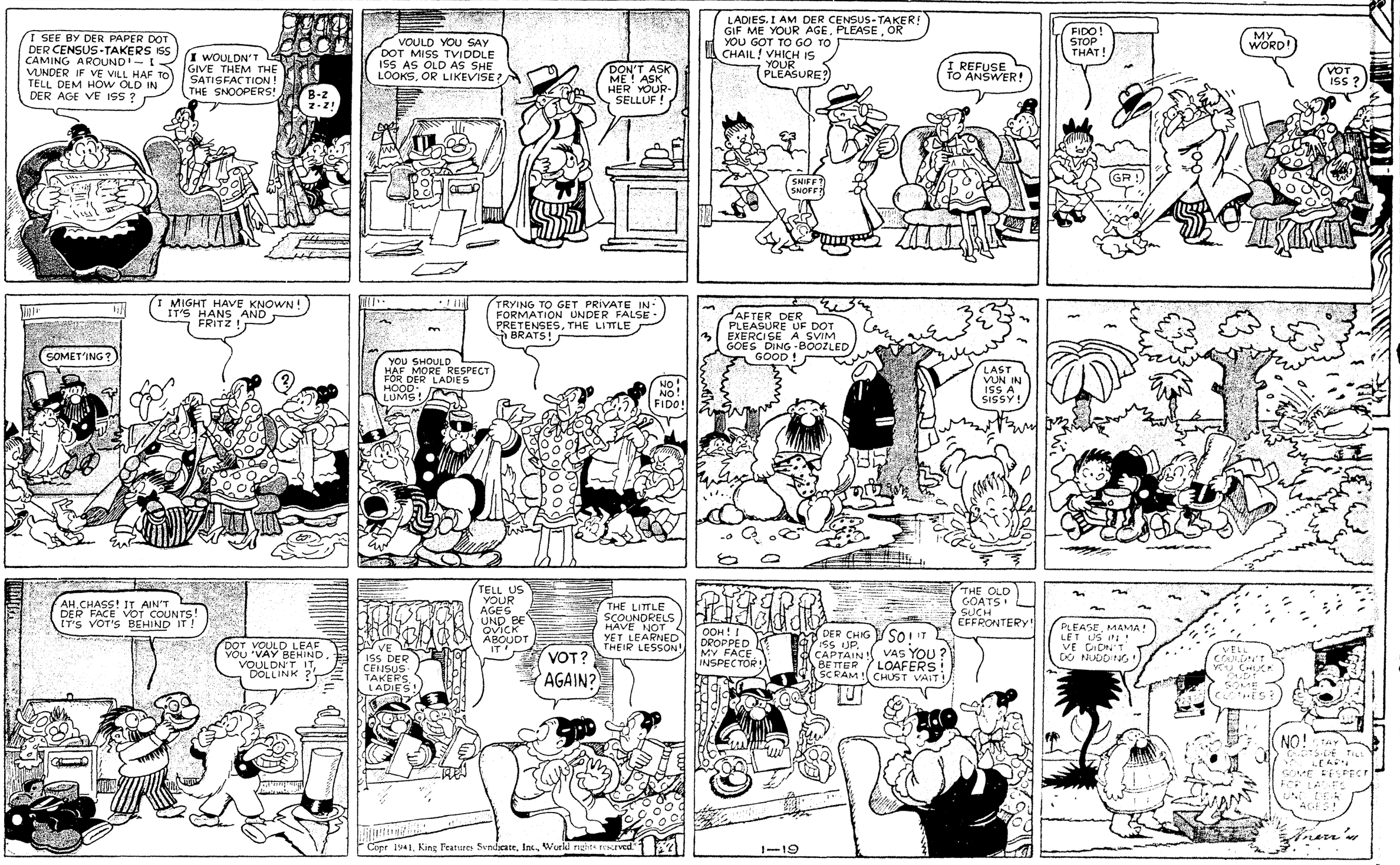
I SEE BY DER PAPER DOT DER CENSUS-TAKERS ISS CAMING AROUND! — I VUNDER IF VE VILL HAF TO TELL DEM HOW OLD IN DER AGE VE ISS?
I WOULDN'T GIVE THEM THE SATISFACTION! THE SNOOPERS!
B-Z Z-Z!
VOULD YOU SAY DOT MISS TVIDDLE ISS AS OLD AS SHE LOOKS, OR LIKEVISE?
DON'T ASK ME! ASK HER YOURSELLUF!
LADIES, I AM DER CENSUS-TAKER! GIF ME YOUR AGE, PLEASE, OR YOU GOT TO GO TO CHAIL! VHICH IS YOUR PLEASURE?
SNIFF? SNOFF?
I REFUSE TO ANSWER!
FIDO! STOP THAT!
GR!
MY WORD!
VOT ISS?
I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN! IT'S HANS AND FRITZ!
SOMET'ING?
?
TRYING TO GET PRIVATE INFORMATION UNDER FALSE-PRETENSES, THE LITTLE BRATS!
YOU SHOULD HAF MORE RESPECT FOR DER LADIES HOOD-LUMS!
NO! NO! FIDO!
AFTER DER PLEASURE UF DOT EXERCISE A SVIM GOES DING-BOOZLED GOOD!
LAST VUN IN ISS A SISSY!
AH, CHASS! IT AIN'T DER FACE VOT COUNTS! IT'S VOT'S BEHIND IT!
DOT VOULD LEAF YOU 'VAY BEHIND, VOULDN'T IT, DOLLINK?
TELL US YOUR AGES UND BE QVICK ABOUDT IT!
VE ISS DER CENSUS-TAKERS, LADIES!
VOT? AGAIN?
THE LITTLE SCOUNDRELS HAVE NOT YET LEARNED THEIR LESSON!
OOH! I DROPPED MY FACE, INSPECTOR!
DER CHIG ISS UP, CAPTAIN! BETTER SCRAM!
SO! IT VAS YOU? LOAFERS! CHUST VAIT!
THE OLD GOATS! SUCH EFFRONTERY!
PLEASE, MAMA! LET US IN! VE DIDN'T DO NUDDING!
VELL, COULDN'T YOU CHUCK OUDT SOME CLOTHES?
NO! STAY OUTSIDE TILL YE LEARN SOME RESPECT FOR LADIES UND DER AGES!

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Thimble Theatre

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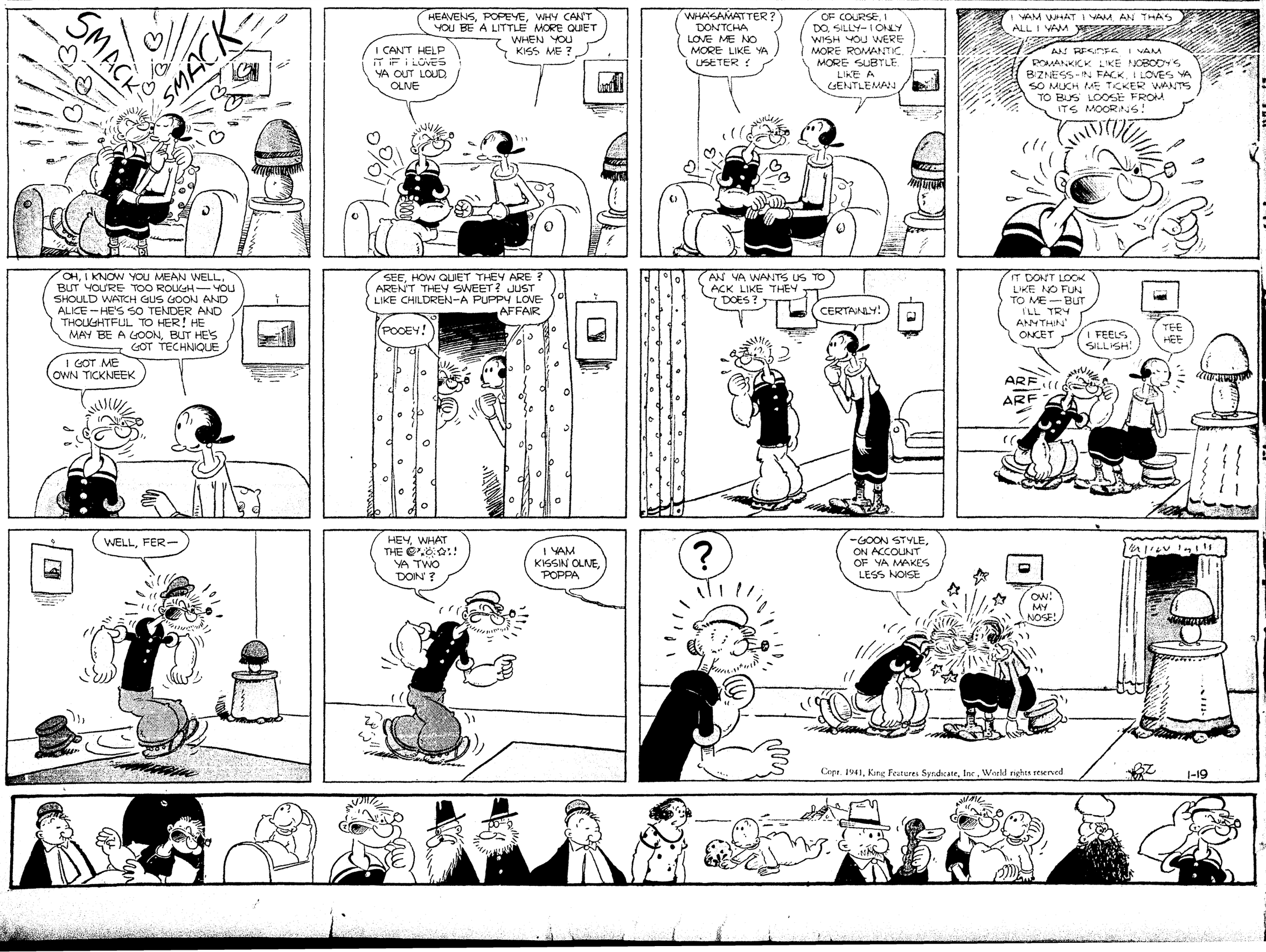
Starring Popeye


SMACK SMACK
HEAVENS, POPEYE, WHY CAN'T YOU BE A LITTLE MORE QUIET WHEN YOU KISS ME?
I CAN'T HELP IT IF I LOVES YA OUT LOUD, OLIVE
WHA'SAMATTER? DON'TCHA LOVE ME NO MORE LIKE YA USETER?
OF COURSE, I DO, SILLY—I ONLY WISH YOU WERE MORE ROMANTIC, MORE SUBTLE, LIKE A GENTLEMAN
I YAM WHAT I YAM, AN' THAT'S ALL I YAM
AN' BESIDES, I YAM ROMANKICK LIKE NOBODY'S BIZNESS—IN FACK, I LOVES YA SO MUCH ME TICKER WANTS TO BUS' LOOSE FROM ITS MOORINGS!
OH, I KNOW YOU MEAN WELL, BUT YOU'RE TOO ROUGH—YOU SHOULD WATCH GUS GOON AND ALICE—HE'S SO TENDER AND THOUGHTFUL TO HER! HE MAY BE A GOON, BUT HE'S GOT TECHNIQUE
I GOT ME OWN TICKNEEK
SEE, HOW QUIET THEY ARE? AREN'T THEY SWEET? JUST LIKE CHILDREN—A PUPPY LOVE AFFAIR
POOEY!
AN' YA WANTS US TO ACK LIKE THEY DOES?
CERTAINLY!
IT DON'T LOOK LIKE NO FUN TO ME—BUT I'LL TRY ANYTHIN' ONCET
I FEELS SILLISH!
TEE HEE
ARF ARF
WELL, FER—
HEY, WHAT THE @*☼☆*!! YA TWO DOIN'?
I YAM KISSIN' OLIVE, POPPA
?
—GOON STYLE, ON ACCOUNT OF YA MAKES LESS NOISE
OW! MY NOSE!

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